

Fair tonight and Sunday; moderate west to southwest winds.

ESTABLISHED 1878

LOWELL MASS. SATURDAY MAY 6 1916

PRICE ONE CENT

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL SELECTS BRIDGE PLAN

Things Now Under Way for New Pawtucket Bridge — National Engineering Co.'s Plan Selected

The municipal council took one big step forward in the Pawtucket bridge matter today by voting its selection of a plan for the bridge. The action was taken at a special meeting called by the mayor for the purpose of hastening matters in connection with the proposed bridge. The mayor said the bridge matter had been hanging fire long enough and that it was about time to do something definite. There was a boulder or two

thrown in the way of quick action today but the council rolled them away and selected a plan that the consulting engineer says meets all the requirements, so far as he knows, of the city and the Locks & Canals company. The plan selected was submitted by the National Engineering company and is known as "scheme one." It calls for a reinforced concrete bridge with three river spans.

*Continued to page four*

## TEN STORY FACTORY ON MIDDLESEX STREET



VIEW OF THE BUILDINGS TO BE TORN DOWN AT CORNER OF KING STREET

Photo by Barr Engraving Co.

## ANOTHER REBEL SHOT

Maj. McBride, Eighth Leader of Irish Revolt to Suffer Death—Others Given Life Sentences

DUBLIN, May 6, via London, May 6.—It was officially announced today that Maj. John McBride, the eighth leader of the Sinn Fein rebellion to suffer death by sentence of court-martial had been shot.

Thomas Hunter and William Cosgrove, who were sentenced to death with Major McBride had their sentences commuted to life imprisonment.

Major John McBride fought throughout the Boer war with the Irish brigade under Gen. Joubert. When the Boers finally surrendered he made his escape and took refuge in Paris, where he later married Miss Maud Gonne, known in home rule circles in Ireland as "The Irish Joan of Arc." In 1905 Major and Mrs. McBride delivered a series of lectures in the United States on Irish politics. On their return to Paris Mrs. McBride sued for divorce and was granted a legal separation. McBride maintained his interest in Irish political affairs and was always identified with the extreme, or separatist faction of the nationalist party.

## TO RELEASE SULLIVAN

Former American Minister Has Been Imprisoned in Dublin Castle For Several Days

DUBLIN, May 6, via London.—James M. Sullivan, former American minister to the Dominican republic, who has been imprisoned in Dublin castle for

**FARRELL & CONATON**  
PLUMBERS, STEAM, GAS AND  
WATER FITTERS  
243 Dutton Street. Tel. 1513

## NOTICE

For the convenience of those employees who are not at work or who have left the employ of the U. S. Cartridge Co. and have wages due them, the payroll department will be opened, according to the following schedule:

Monday— 10 to 12 a. m. and 3 to 4 p. m.  
Tuesday— 10 to 12 a. m. and 3 to 4 p. m.  
Wednesday— 10 to 12 a. m. and 3 to 4 p. m.  
Thursday— 10 to 12 a. m. and 3 to 4 p. m.  
Friday— 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.  
H. L. BISHOP,  
U. S. Cartridge Co., Paymaster.

## INTEREST BEGINS

## Today

AT  
The Central Savings Bank  
58 Central Street.

THIS IS

## Quarter Week

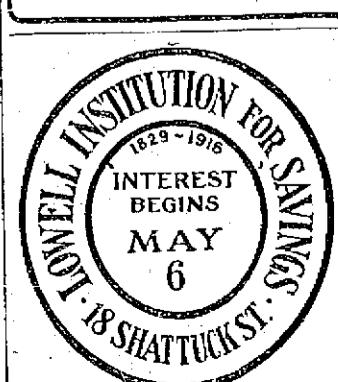
AT THE

Merrimack River  
Savings Bank

Interest Begins

## TODAY

Make Your Deposit Before  
9 O'Clock Tonight.



## HALIFOUX'S

ON THE SQUARE

## "THE DIE IS CAST"

These were the words of Caesar, uttered as a declaration of war, when he plunged into the Rubicon on his victorious march to Rome. They are noble words, spoken by a noble man. So we plunged into the depths of business enterprise and competition and make the same declaration that Caesar did on that memorable day. As far as our dealings are concerned we will stand out against all others for honesty, capacity, ability, efficiency and courtesy.—Mary A. Rogers, High School Commercial Dept.

## HEAVY FIGHTING RESUMED IN VERDUN

Germans Again on Offensive West of Meuse—The French Driven Out of Trenches—Norway Protests to British and French Governments Against the Seizure of Mails

Heavy fighting has been resumed in the Verdun region with the Germans again on the offensive west of the Meuse. They have brought up a fresh division and apparently made a new concentration of heavy artillery. Instead of attacking Dead Man hill, around which the battle has raged recently, they are now directing their attention to the somewhat higher eminence known as Hill 304, to the southwest, towards Avocourt on the French left flank.

### French Forced to Evacuate

The afternoon bulletin of the Paris war office admits that an unusually violent bombardment compelled the French to evacuate part of their trenches on the northern slope of the hill. It declares, however, that German efforts to advance were checked by the fire of the French artillery and that the fresh troops the German

crown prince threw into the fray suffered heavy losses.

Attacks by the Germans north and northwest of Hill 304 were pushed so close to the French defenses that the bayonet had to be used to repel the assaults.

### Three Zeppelins Destroyed

Yesterday's reports indicating the destruction of three Zeppelins were followed today by a despatch from Dutch sources announcing that the Zeppelin L-9 had been sighted flying

### NOTICE

The office and Appliance store of the Lowell Gas Light Co. will close MONDAY P. M. at 1 o'clock on account of the funeral of its late Treasurer George W. Brothers,

## PRES. WILSON TAKES UP OFFICIAL TEXT OF NOTE

No Change in Document Indic平ates Probability That Break Has Been Averted

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The official text of Germany's note, fully decoded and laid before President Wilson today shows no material differences from the unofficial text published yesterday in news despatches. This strengthens the probability that a diplomatic break has been averted at least at present.

Over night study of the note by cabinet members and officials did not change their view that probably there would be no break in diplomatic relations unless there were further attacks in violation of international law.

There is a possibility that the United States may make a brief reply notifying the Berlin government that as long as the new orders to submarine commanders are fully observed diplomatic relations will not be discontinued on that score.

Secretary Lansing already has studied the note once and was going over it very carefully again today. There were indications that further consideration by the cabinet would not be necessary.

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, returned to the embassy today from New York. He said he had no communication from his government and had no reason to visit the state department in connection with the note unless he were instructed to do so.

Several members of the cabinet have left Washington and are not expected back before Monday.

President Wilson read today with careful attention the portion of the note touching on peace. Some officials believed special significance should be attached to that part of the note because it was taken to indicate officially that recent speeches of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg before the Reichstag were intended as notices to the world that Germany was ready for peace on certain terms.

The note says: "The German government, conscious of Germany's strength, twice within the last few months announced before the world

was much gossip about it in the Russian capital."

It was understood that preparations for the expedition had been underway for months and that to carry it out there were assembled in Persian territory large numbers of camels, auto trucks and other means of transporting troops 700 miles to the gulf. News as to whether or not Russian troops had landed in France was eagerly sought by several of the Petrograd passengers upon their arrival.

The ship brought 1,000 bags of mail, more than had arrived from any of the neutral countries for some time. The mail, according to the Bergensfjord's officers, is from Norway, Germany, Rumania, Bulgaria, Russia and Turkey. The ship eluded the British patrol in the North Sea and did not call at Kirkwall.

B. N. Rasmussen, United States consul at Gothenburg, who came home on a two weeks' leave of absence, said he had not received any official or private mail from this country since March 15.

## DEPOSIT NOW

Money Goes On

Interest May 13

WASHINGTON SAVINGS  
INSTITUTION

287 Central Street.

Who  
Cleaned  
Up?

Whose house is the cleanest?

Who gathered the most dirt and dust from the house interior?

An easy guess—of course—Ask those who used the electric vacuum cleaner!

Lowell Electric Light Corp.,  
29-31 Market Street

Tel. S21.

# REVOLT IN SAN DOMINGO

Members of Haitian Senate Dispersed by Detachment Commanded by American Officer

**PONT AU PRINCE, Hayti, May 6.**—Members of the Haitian senate, who persisted in holding a meeting in spite of the warning of Rear Admiral Caperton, in command of the American forces here, were dispersed today by a detachment of gendarmes commanded by an American officer. The senators protested but offered no resistance.

## TROUBLE AT SAN DOMINGO

**WASHINGTON, May 6.**—Rear Admiral Caperton, in charge of the American forces in San Domingo and Hayti today advised the navy department that the situation in San Domingo in the revolt against President Jiminez was grave. Admiral Caperton did not mention landing marines to guard the

American legation. Secretary Daniels said that Admiral Caperton had full authority to land marines or to take any other steps necessary to preserve order.

## SEVERAL PERSONS KILLED

**SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic, May 6.**—Hostilities which broke out here yesterday, the outgrowth of the attempt to overthrow the administration of President Jiminez, resulted in several persons being killed or wounded were suspended today.

Members of the diplomatic corps are endeavoring to effect an amicable solution of the troubles. The republic outside of Santo Domingo, remains quiet.

## MINOR LICENSES GRANTED

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE LICENSE BOARD HELD THIS MORNING**

"What did you say your name was?" asked Clerk John J. Flaherty of the license commission when he was confronted by a tall individual who was unmistakably of foreign extraction.

"Konstantinos Papadimitracopoulos," was the answer.

"And what is it you want?"

The man said he wanted to secure a license as a common victualler as he and his partner had a store at 429 Market street.

"What is your partner's name?" asked Mr. Flaherty.

"Demetraopoulos," giving the Christian name also.

"And the firm name?" asked the clerk.

"Demetraopoulos and Papadimitracopoulos" was the answer.

"Good night," said "Harry" to himself as he brought forward an application blank. I wonder where he ever collected that jungle of letters from the alphabet. The license was granted to said firm but the clerk did not dare attempt to pronounce the name.

As is usual at this time of the year many applicants for minor licenses put in an appearance and several special sessions have been held. During the past week over two hundred licenses were granted, but the applications came in so fast that it was necessary to hold a special session this morning at which the following licenses were granted:

To sell ice cream, etc.: Sarah L. Anderson, 1018 Gorham street; Helen Beatty, 177 Church street; Hardy E. Bradley, 7 Thorndike street; John Bailey, 498 Chelmsford street; James J. Connor, 94 Adams street; Mary A. Callery, 9 Bourne street; C. Elizabeth A. Cunningham, 21 Marshall street; Helena Dumas, 18 Decatur street; Catherine Donahue, 146 Concord street; Mary Dorsey, 60 West Fourth street; Ann A. Fitzgerald, 33 Puffer street; Mary Green, 36 Bartlett street; Gendron Bros., 39 Gorham street; John S. Hayes Estate, 1328 Gorham street; Abraham Jamal, 35 Broadway; Emanuel D. Kakner, 173 Central street; Besse L. Keyon, 18 Fremont street; Daimantes Kwarcos, 417 Adams street; Margaret Kelley, 350 Fletcher street; Eva Blaplane, 213 Cumberland road; Harry W. Leavitt, 1165 Lawrence street; George B. Mevis, 28 Bridge street; Robert E. Means, 434 Bridge street; William P. McLoughlin, 257 South street; William G. McGarr, 277 Hildreth street; Edward G. Pearreault, 166 Powell street; Annie Reardon, 358 Rogers street; Max Rindlar, 43 Coburn street; Demetrios Sokorellis, 376 Market street; Rose Soloway, 725 Central street; Charles Sharf, 65 School street; James Tzatzopoulos, 420 Suffolk street; Rose Verdon, 371 Broadway; Margaret L. White, 7 Brooks street.

Intelligence office: Margaret O'Neil, 584 Gorham street. Pawnbroker: J. Fulton Corbett, 25-29 John street. Junk collector: Morris Goldman, 85 Railroad street; Henry Wilson, 25 Brooks street; Barney Fish, 95 Howard street; Israel Namis, 123 Railroad street.

Billiards and pool: John J. Reilly, 23 Central street. Bowling alleys: John J. Corcoran, 242 Aiken street. Junk dealer: David Ziskind, 127 Cambridge street.

Common victualler: Vasilius Giavis, 458 Market street; D. L. Page Co., 16-20 Merrimack street; Milton Restaurant Co., Middlesex and Gorham streets; Margaret

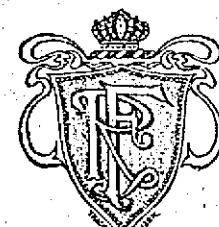
**IF YOUR TROUBLE IS DYSPEPSIA**

why don't you get a bottle of Dyspepsia tablets of your druggist this very day? These tablets are proving very satisfactory in promptly relieving sour stomach, wind in the stomach, heartburn, nausea and other symptoms of indigestion and dyspepsia.

They are composed of the most approved digestives, carminatives and correctives, and are pleasant to take and economical. You can get them of any druggist at 10c, 25c or \$1.00 a bottle. Prepared by C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

## For the Attention of All

Who have left with H. C. McOske, pictures, photographs, diplomas, etc., to be framed. There are over 1000 of these uncollected for orders, and as Mr. McOske is no longer in business, it is urgently requested that those whose orders are here, call for them at once.



FRANK RICARD'S Down Town Gift Shop

123 CENTRAL STREET

## GERMAN REPLY Continued

belief in Holland that the German note to the United States was carefully prepared in the hope that it may lead eventually to peace negotiations.

The despatch says in part:

"There is a noisy herd that behind the whole cloud of vague and conditional promises lies the hope that negotiations for peace will be opened with England through the mediation of the United States. According to this view Germany hopes that Washington will open a discussion first on the questions of contraband and the naval blockade which will widen by easy stages to eventual discussion of possible peace conditions."

"In American circles in Berlin it is believed that Ambassador Gerard during his recent visit to the Kaiser's headquarters at the front discussed matters far wider in range than merely the questions at issue between Berlin and Washington."

The Daily News correspondent also says that the Wolf bureau sent out this week in which an anonymous neutral discusses the relations between Germany and the United States and suggests that America now has an opportunity to lay the foundations for peace negotiations.

This article appeared in the same issue of the German newspapers with the text of the reply to the American note. It says:

"This appears to be the historic opportunity for America. If the United States maintains an equally firm position against the starvation of Germany as against the German submarine warfare, then there will be an opening for the belligerents to consider how they can end this miserable war."

The officials had brought George, and Fred, a little three-year-old son, before the probate judge, and were preparing to ask them some questions, when Fred, in innocence and with a pointing hand, said: "George, what did you kill mamma for?" George hung his head but did not answer. The officials were quick to follow the lead and asked Fred how George killed his mother, and the little chap said: "George killed her with a gun."

The eight-year-old lad, when asked if accusations made by his baby brother were true, admitted them. He said that he was playing with the shotgun and did not know that it was loaded.

Neighbors found the body of Mrs. Jordan Tuesday afternoon. Four sons and the father were immediately taken into custody. The eight-year-old lad told officers his father had shot his mother because she would not get out of bed to get breakfast.

Yesterday the father was formally charged with the murder.

**LLOYD C. GRISCOM ARRIVES**

NEW YORK, May 6.—Lloyd C. Griscom, former American ambassador to Italy, who has been in Europe for some time representing the Chicago meat packers in their claims against the British government, arrived here today on the steamship *Belle* from Liverpool.

**VERIFICATION OF DEPOSITS**

As required by law, depositors are hereby requested to present their passbooks during the months of May and June for verification.

**MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK**

## AT M. E. CONFERENCE TESTS ARMY EQUIPMENT

## YIELDS TO U. S. DEMANDS

## 17,000 GO ON STRIKE

### GOES ON RECORD AGAINST GOVERNMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR SECTARIAN PURPOSES

**SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 6.**—An amendment to the federal constitution to prohibit governmental appropriations for sectarian purposes was recommended in a resolution adopted without debate today by the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. The resolution directed that the secretary notify the speaker of the house of representatives and the president of the senate of the action of the conference.

Other resolutions endorsed abstaining from tobacco on the part of church members and compulsory Bible reading in the public schools and requested favorable action by congress on a proposed law to forbid the exportation of liquor in Africa.

### KILLED HIS MOTHER

### BOY WHO ACCUSED FATHER OF CRIME HAS MADE A CONFESSION

### FORTSMOUTH, O., May 6.—George Jordan, 8, who told officers Wednesday that his father, Roy Jordan, killed his mother with a shotgun following a quarrel because she did not get up early enough to get breakfast, has confessed that he shot his mother, officials say.

The officials had brought George, and Fred, a little three-year-old son, before the probate judge, and were preparing to ask them some questions, when Fred, in innocence and with a pointing hand,

said: "George, what did you kill mamma for?" George hung his head but did not answer. The officials were quick to follow the lead and asked Fred how George killed his mother, and the little chap said: "George killed her with a gun."

The eight-year-old lad, when asked if accusations made by his baby brother were true, admitted them. He said that he was playing with the shotgun and did not know that it was loaded.

Neighbors found the body of Mrs. Jordan Tuesday afternoon. Four sons and the father were immediately taken into custody. The eight-year-old lad told officers his father had shot his mother because she would not get out of bed to get breakfast.

Yesterday the father was formally charged with the murder.

### LLOYD C. GRISCOM ARRIVES

NEW YORK, May 6.—Lloyd C. Griscom, former American ambassador to Italy, who has been in Europe for some time representing the Chicago meat packers in their claims against the British government, arrived here today on the steamship *Belle* from Liverpool.

**REBELLION IN THE RANGES**

Army men say that besides pur-

### EXPEDITION INTO MEXICO HAS PROVED VALUABLE TO UNITED STATES FORCES

**ENGLAND OFFICIALLY NOTIFIES U. S. OF RELEASE OF MEN TAKEN OFF SHIP**

**WASHINGTON, May 6.**—Ambassador Page at London today communicated to the state department the British government's official notification that, yielding to the representations of the United States it would release the 38 Germans, Austrians and Turks taken by a British cruiser from the American steamer *China*, near Shanghai.

**C.Y.M.L. BUSINESS**

The C.Y.M.L. will hold an important meeting tomorrow morning in the society rooms in Suffolk street at which a schedule for the baseball team will be arranged and a manager elected to fill the position left vacant by the resignation of Arthur Keyes. Arrangements will also be made for the Farmers' ball to be held next week, and a number of applications for membership will be accepted upon.

### HIS FOOT CRUSHED

John Tamlein suffered an injury to his foot while at work at the Harry shoe shop in Stackpole street, about 11 o'clock this morning. The ambulance was called and he was taken to St. John's hospital where he received treatment.

### STRUCK BY A CAR

William Dwar, while crossing Central street at the junction of Market street shortly before two o'clock this afternoon, fell to the pavement and was struck by an electric car. The ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital where it was found he was suffering from a laceration over the right eye and abrasions about the face. After receiving treatment the injured man was sent to the police station where he was booked for drunkenness.

### BOMB ON ARMY AEROPLANES

**COLUMBUS, N. M., May 6.**—Plans have been made to equip the new army aeroplanes being tested here with bombs and bomb dropping devices.

### AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN REPORT

**BERLIN, May 6 (By wireless to Sayville).**—The following official statement on military operations has been issued by the Austro-Hungarian army headquarters under date of May 5.

"Russian theatre: Austro-Hungarian airmen bombarded the railway junction at Zdolbunovo, south of Rovno, day before yesterday. Hits upon the station building, workshops, rolling stock and tracks were noticed. Several buildings were set on fire.

"Increased activity was again evident yesterday by the artillery all along the line. There were skirmishes in advanced positions at many points.

"Italian war theatre: After strong artillery preparation Austro-Hungarian troops drove the enemy from several positions in the Isonzo, and took more than 100 Alpine prisoners. Among these were three officers. Two machine guns were also taken.

"In the Mormolato district during the night weak detachments of the enemy on the eastern slope of Sassoundoli were dispersed. Otherwise there was only moderate artillery activity."

### CALM IN BERLIN

**BERLIN, May 6, via London, May 6.**—The utter lack of excitement on the part of the majority of the people of Berlin with which publication of the German note to the United States was received, was in strong contrast with the great interest shown everywhere when the American note to Germany was published on April 22. After the first fury at noon today, when extra editions of the newspapers appeared with the text of the note the city resumed its usual calm. News dealers who had ordered especially large supplies of papers could not get rid of them for the public simply refused to buy them or be burdened by reading.

Throughout the afternoon listsless crowds of average size thronged the principal streets and cafés. Not one person in 50, so far as could be seen glanced at a newspaper or headed shouts of the dealers.

Nowhere could there be heard any particular discussion of the German-American situation, nor were there signs of the antipathy to persons speaking English which frequently has been observable.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## Hundreds of New Gas Water Heaters IN LOWELL



Hot water is necessary even on the hottest summer days. The men of the house need it for shaving—all need it for bathing—plenty of hot water is essential for dish-washing and laundry.

You can have hot water by simply striking a match—if there is a Vulcan Water Heater attached to your tank. No long waiting, no fire-building, no heating up of house or kitchen, no waste of fuel.

This Water Heater requires no care and never gets out of order. It will last a lifetime.

Every housewife wants a Gas Water Heater. Now is the time to get it.

\$17 for May only--Nothing to pay for 30 days--then \$1 a Month GAS APPLIANCE STORE, 198 Merrimack St.

Telephone 349

### TEXTILE VS. WENTWORTH ACAD.

In their first home game of the season the Lowell Textile school baseball nine lined up against the Wentworth academy team of Boston on the school campus at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The Textile Boys have been practising daily under the direction of Coach "Billy" McNamee and with Sturtevant, the star pitcher, on the firing line, they went onto the field confident of winning.

The Textile Nineup was as follows:

Hart of White Sh. Aiken 1b. Sturtevant p. Davis ss. Davineau lf. Sjosten 3b. McNamee rf. Winn c.

### "DAYLIGHT SAVING" SCHEME

LONDON, May 6.—The "daylight saving" scheme by which the clock will be put ahead an hour is expected to be applied by the house of commons on Monday and will go into effect the following Sunday morning.

### HARVARD AND CORNELL MEET

ITHACCA, N. Y., May 6.—Ideal weather and track conditions prevailed for the annual dual track meet between Cornell and Harvard here this afternoon. Cornell was the favorite.

### BOARD OF TRADE

The Lowell board of trade commit-

tee on referenda of the chamber of commerce of the United States will hold a meeting at the rooms of the organization in Central street, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At 4 o'clock on the same day a meeting of the fire prevention committee will be held, while in the evening at 6 o'clock the directors' monthly meeting will be held.

### 2

2

2

2

2

2

2

# MANY SUITS ENTERED SENATOR LODGE FOR TRACK EXTENTION

## Actions of Tort Brought Against Bay State Co. on Account of Auto Accidents—Other Cases

Special to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, May 6.—John C. Meyer of Lowell has been sued for \$10,000 in an action of tort by L. Livstein & Co. of Boston. The papers have been filed by Attorney Ralph W. Gleas of Boston. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant bailed them in a letter.

The Columbia Fuel Co. of Lowell has been sued for \$500 in an action of contract by James Walsh & Son of Lowell. The papers have been filed by Attorney Bennett Silverblatt of Lowell. It is alleged that the defendant owes \$100.

Annie Freeman of Lowell has been sued for \$2000 in an action of contract by the Old Lowell National bank. The papers have been filed by Attorney James J. Kowin. It is alleged that the defendant owes \$1227.25.

The Merrimack Woolen Co. of Dracut has been sued for \$10,000 in an action of contract by Mitchell Bros., Inc., of New York city. The papers have been filed by Attorney James E. O'Donnell. It is alleged that the defendant company owes \$4225.05.

Alfred Yates and Jessie Yates of Bedford have been sued for \$1000 in an action of contract by the Bedford Coal & Grain Co.

Alfred Yates of Bedford has been sued for \$400 in an action of contract by the Bedford Coal & Grain Co. It is alleged that the defendant owes \$137.15. The Bay State street railway has been sued for \$5000 in an action of tort by Hoyt.

## FOR SWIMMING PLACES

### ARRANGEMENTS UNDERWAY FOR CONFERENCE WITH THE LOCKS & CANALS COMPANY

The waterways commission addressed a communication to Mayor O'Donnell some time ago, asking for a conference with the Locks & Canals company and the municipal council, relative to the establishment of public swimming places, and the mayor has advised the commission that he has notified the Locks & Canals company of its request.

In acknowledging the mayor's letter, the waterways commission takes occasion to criticize Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, and expresses the regret that "some other members of the government consider the protection of child life of so little moment." The letter:

Lowell, Mass., May 5, 1916.  
Hon. James E. O'Donnell, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Mayor.—We are in receipt of your letter regarding a conference with the Locks & Canals company concerning swimming places.

We desire to thank you for your interest and support, and to express our regret that other members of the government consider the protection of child life of so little moment.

In petitioning the council for an appropriation, Mr. Palmer called to the attention of the members the dangerous condition of the open ways leading from Lawrence street to the Concord river. At that time the commissioner of streets said he would find a suitable route in seeking to protect the children of Lowell. Even after a death by drowning of a four-year-old child recently, this same commissioner has neglected to erect the fences called for at the end of Clark's court and Jolner's court. We hope that no further drownings will occur in this locality as a result of this commissioner's obstinate indifference.

We trust that the ordinance suggested by this committee will be taken up immediately and that you will soon be authorized to locate spots for the apparatus by the council.

The proprietors of the Locks & Canals are showing commendable spirit in fencing certain danger spots along their waterways, but we desire an early conference that we may impress on this corporation the desirability not only of fencing, but making absolutely safe the spots where frequent drownings have occurred.

We have already commended the at-

Charles Miller of Boston. He alleges that on May 26, 1915, while riding in the automobile of Abraham Bander of Boston, on Poland street, Billerica, he was severely injured, when one of the company's cars hit the machine.

Miller has also sued Bander for \$5000 for running into the car with the automobile.

Abraham Bander of Brookline, who was also in the automobile, sues the Bay State for \$5000 for the injuries he received. Rose Bander of Maynard has sued the Bay State and Abraham Bander for \$5000 each for the injuries she received.

John J. Ryan of Lowell has been sued for \$2000 in an action of tort by Bernard F. Gately of Lowell, trustee of Attorneys Qua, Howard & Rogers of Lowell. It is alleged that the defendant has converted to his own use certain articles belonging to the plaintiff.

The Boston & Maine has been sued for \$10,000 in an action of tort by Mary Prendergast of Bedford as administrator of the estate of John Prendergast, late of Bedford. The papers have been filed by Attorneys Vahey & Casson of Boston. It is alleged that on Dec. 23, 1915, the deceased, who was employed as a gate tender in Bedford, received injuries from which he died, owing to negligence on the part of the company. HOYT.

## Movement on Foot to Make Him Chairman of Chicago Convention

Special to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 6.—There is a strong endorsement in Washington of the movement to make Senator Lodge permanent chairman of the Chicago convention. The chairmanship may not go to an eastern man and Senator Lodge is not a candidate and may not desire to become one, but an idea of the sentiment that exists for him is shown by the comments here quoted from republican leaders.

Said Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, republican floor leader: "Mr. Lodge is one of the ablest men in public life. I know of no other man who could state issues so clearly."

Senator Dilts of Vermont said: "Mr. Lodge is the best parliamentarian in the Senate today. In addition no man in the United States has a more comprehensive grasp of national policies and politics." These sentiments are by no means confined to eastern men. Senators Sutherland of Utah and Falls of New Mexico said practically the same. "I regard Senator Lodge as one of the great Americans," said Senator Fall. Mr. Sutherland said: "No man is better fitted for the position of permanent chairman and no man could represent the party with greater dignity. Senator Lodge is a man of whom the whole country is proud." Other senators express the same opinion. RICHARDS.

## WERE CRUSHED TO DEATH

### TEAMSTER, 14-YEAR-OLD BOY AND TWO HORSES BURIED BENEATH CRUSHED STONE AT GLOUCESTER

GLOUCESTER, May 6.—Crushed to death under several tons of crushed stone, the bodies of a teamster, a 14-year-old boy, and two horses were taken yesterday from under a big stone crusher, which, with the wooden structure that partly surrounded it, collapsed, on the state highway, near Essex avenue, late yesterday afternoon.

The railroad and telephone wires strung (near the Lowell cemetery) over the Concord river are insufficient. Wire fencing or pickets should be placed here. These, in conjunction with the adoption of recommendations of this committee by adjoining owners will make this spot safe.

The capstones of the Taylor (Rogers) street bridge over the Concord river are an invitation to children to walk along this wall, and the danger of falling into the water is great. Some method should be devised by the city engineer to render this place less attractive as a promenade without injuring the appearance of the bridge.

We will forward a further report in relation to these dangerous places mentioned if attention to remedying them is further delayed.

Very truly yours,

Jackson Palmer,  
Harry W. J. Howe,  
Frank A. Warrock.

### CALLS REV. MR. JACOBS

At a meeting of members of the Fifth Street Baptist church held last evening in the church vestry a unanimous call was extended Rev. William S. Jacobs of Newton, who has been occupying the pulpit as acting pastor for several months, to accept the local pastorate permanently. Mr. Jacobs is a student at the Newton Theological seminary from which he will graduate in June. His term as acting pastor at the local church will expire July 1, but it is probable that he will accept the call of the Fifth Street congregation and become its permanent pastor. About 60 members of the church attended the meeting last night. Mr. Jacobs is married and his present home is in Newton.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### FOR THE ORPHANAGE

#### Military Whist and Dances Next Tuesday Evening For Most Worthy Cause

The military whist and dances arranged in aid of St. Peter's orphanage and which is to be held in Lincoln hall on Tuesday evening promises to be very successful from every point of view, and it is confidently hoped by those in charge that a splendid sum will accrue to the worthy charity as a result of the affair. Military whist, by which the score is kept by means of flags, is a decidedly novel feature at whist locally and those who have attended them in the past have been very much impressed with the patriotic feature. Hence it is expected to add much to Tuesday's affair.

After the whist, for which prizes of utility and beauty alike will be given for the high scores, there will be dancing to music of the famous Doyle's orchestra. The price of the tickets is 50 cents and are on sale by well known ladies and gentlemen of the city.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### BILL GOVERNING EXTENSION OF CAR LINE IN VARNUM AVENUE IS HELD UP

Special to The Sun.  
BOSTON, May 6.—The Bay State Railway company seems at last to have "gotten busy" on the bill now pending in the legislature which would permit the public service commissioners to require the company to extend its lines all the way down through Varnum avenue.

Although the bill was given all of its readings in both branches of the legislature without a word being uttered against it, when it came up in the senate yesterday for enactment, the very last stage before going to the governor, Senator Gordon of Springfield moved that further consideration be postponed until Monday.

When asked later to give his reasons for making the motion, Senator Gordon stated to The Sun representative that it had been suggested to him that the bill goes too far, and that "certain interested parties" desired more time to consider the preparation of certain amendments.

Inasmuch as the Springfield senator is chairman of the committee on street railways, which heard the matter and which asked the public service commissioners to draft a bill, and since the bill now pending is the one drafted by the public service commissioners, it is apparent that there is "something doing," and those desiring to see the bill passed will do well to keep at least one eye on it during the next few days.

HOYT.

# HAL CHASE IS LEADING VILLA BANDITS ROUTED

Cincinnati Player Heads Batters and Base Stealers in National League—The Averages

CHICAGO, May 5.—Hal Chase, former star in the American and Federal leagues, is leading the batters and base stealers of the National, according to averages published here today and including games of last Wednesday. Chase's batting percentage is .468 and is helping to keep Cincinnati in front in team hitting with an average of .279. His stolen bases number 6. Heine Grod of Cincinnati leads the league in total bases with 31 and in runs scored with 13. Saler and Williams of the Cubs are tied for home run honors with two each. The ten leading batters of the National are: Chase, Cincinnati, .468; Lahti, Brooklyn, .422; McKenry, Cincinnati, .400; Robertson, New York, .376; Alexander, Philadelphia, .375; James Smith, Pittsburgh, .375; Bluthman, Pittsburgh, .370; Verker, Chicago, .359; Ralston, New York, .353 and Mollwitz, Cincinnati, .350.

The ten leading National league pitchers, ranked according to earned runs are: Meadows, St. Louis, won 1, lost 1; Pfeffer, Brooklyn, won 2, lost 1; McConnell, Chicago, won 2, lost 1; Kanlechner, Pittsburgh, won 1, lost 2; Alexander, Philadelphia, won 4, lost 1; Harmon, Pittsburgh, won 2, lost 2; Prendergast, New York, won 2, lost 2; Hendrix, Chicago, won 1, lost 1; Rudolph, Boston, won 3, lost 1; Doak, St. Louis, won 2, lost 1.

In the American league Ty Cobb is rapidly moving to the front among the batters, ranking just behind Speaker. Detroit is leading in club hitting with .264. Grange, Cleveland, leads in total bases with 38, is tied with Felsch of Chicago for home run honors with two and with Veach of Detroit and Shatto, St. Louis, in runs scored, 13 each. Baker, New York, leads in stolen bases with six.

The leading batters are: Dubuc, Detroit, .444; Henry, Washington, .409; Clevette, Chicago, .400; Burns, Detroit, .375; H. Coeleske, Detroit, .364; Speaker, Cleveland, .355; Cobb, Detroit, .347; Shanks, Washington,

## NEEDFUL KNOWLEDGE

Lowell People Should Learn to Detect the Approach of Kidney Disease.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are many. Disordered kidneys often excrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back may ache, headaches and dizzy spells may occur, and the victim is often weighted down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger. Delay often proves fatal.

You can use no better endorsed kidney remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's Lowell's proof of their merit:

Mrs. M. E. Laurie, 188 Chelmsford St., Lowell, says: "My kidneys showed signs of weakening and my back began to pain me. I had lots of suffering on account of my head aching so much. I had attacks of dizziness and my feet and ankles were swollen. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they relieved the distress in my back and the other annoying symptoms. My kidneys were strengthened and I am not troubled to speak of now."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Laurie has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Proprs., Buffalo, N. Y.

## CLEAN - UP AND PAINT - UP

Today Is General Clean Up Day

We Have All Kinds of Tools to Help Do It With.

Hedge Shears

Grass Shears.....35c

Pruning Shears.....35c to \$1.00

Garden Trowels.....10c and 15c

Lawn Grass Seed, qt.....25c

Flower Bed Guard, ft.....7c

Trellis, ft.....8c

Fly Netting, fl.....2 1-2c

Poultry and Chicken Netting

Lawn Mowers.....\$2.50 Up

Lawn Rollers—We have the Dunham Water-filled Roller. You can't make a good lawn unless you roll it.

## GARDEN SEEDS

Sweet Peas, 1-4 lb.....15c

Nasturtiums, oz.....10c

Vegetable Seeds.

THE THOMPSON HARDWARE CO.  
Telephones 158-157

# VILLA BANDITS ROUTED

U. S. Cavalry Surprised Band at Ojo-Azules—42 Mexicans Killed—No American Casualties

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, NEAR NAMQUIPA, Mex., by wireless to Columbus, N. M., May 6.—A full squadron of 230 men of the Eleventh Cavalry surprised and routed a much larger force of Villa bandits at Ojo-Azules, 17 miles south of Cusihuachic early yesterday. Forty-two Mexicans were killed and a number wounded. There were no American casualties.

The American command, under Major Robert L. Howze had been pursuing the bandits under Gen. Cruz Dominguez and Julio Acosta for several days when they encountered them encamped in the huddled adobe huts of Ojo-Azules.

The Mexicans were completely surprised and sprung from their pallets half clothed. After firing a few wild shots they began to flee, each man shifting for himself. Some of them were able to seize their horses already jaded from a hard day's ride, but others made their way into the hills afoot. Maj. Howze reported he was still pursuing the scattered remnant of the band, which is the largest remaining under the Villa standard. This decisive victory gave much satisfaction to military men here. It is believed the band is the same as that defeated at Temicole April 22 by Col. George A. Dodd's command.

GEN PERSHING'S OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE BATTLE

EL PASO, Tex., May 6.—Gen. Pershing's official report of the defeat of a Villa band at Ojo-Azules by Major Howze described the action as a cavalry charge with pistols, the first to occur since operations were begun. The Americans had ridden 30 miles before meeting the bandits.

The pursuit of the scattered Mexicans was continued for two hours. Gen. Pershing reported that six Car-

he called upon Mr. W. T. S. Bartlett who produced the indenture signed in 1811 and Mr. Bartlett claimed that the south pier in the raceway went over from the Locks and Canals to the proprietors of Pawtucket bridge; that the city is successor to the proprietors of the Pawtucket bridge and consequently the pier in question belongs to the city.

Mr. Morse rather suddenly stated that the Locks & Canals wouldn't agree to anything that O'Connell & Son would present and finished up by saying that the city should build the bridge. "This bridge is being built for the Locks & Canals, not for the city," he said.

The mayor said he did not propose to participate in any quarrel between the Locks & Canals and any other corporation; that he was desirous of having the bridge built in accordance with the requirements of the city and the Locks & Canals and wanted the bridge built as quickly as possible.

The plane explained.

He then called upon Mr. Worcester to explain the plans; scheme number one as presented by the National Engineering corporation, which includes a special enclosure at Fort Hill park and the cute animals will be in charge of John McNulty, who was connected with the New York Zoo for ten years.

The deer were removed to this city from Canobie Lake park yesterday and turned loose in their new quarters, which includes a large enclosure securely fenced with an 86-inch wire fence, and containing three-quarters of an acre of land. For the private use of the deer the city water was extended to the enclosure and the "habes" of the wood will be given the best of care.

A sad accident occurred at Canobie Lake park yesterday when the long-legged animals were placed aboard a flat electric car to be conveyed to Lowell. One of the deer while going over the runway leading from the enclosure to the car received a fracture of one leg, the member being caught in the fence. The animal had to be shot later, and another deer was placed aboard the car to fill the required number for the Lowell park.

The new home of the deer is located on the westerly side of Fort Hill park. The animals will be fed on cracked corn, hay and lawn clippings and may be seen by everybody.

DEER PARK OPENED

FIVE HANDSOME DEER FROM CANOBIE LAKE NOW AT FORT HILL PARK

VIOLIN INSTRUCTION

New pupils now enrolling for Summer Term.

Wed, 2 to 3; Saturday 6 to 8 P. M.

Write for Circular.

PROVIDENCE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Principal, J. C. Dickenson.

Traders Bank Building, 38 and 40

Middlesex Street

Lawrence Branch: 477 Essex Street.

DESK POT AND PANS

Cooks, Kitchen Helpers, Dish Washers and Waiters Give Up Jobs and Become Munitions Makers

BOSTON, May 6.—Jean, who is your favorite waiter in the Hotel De Gilt, or Gustave, the man in the regions below who compounds that delicious sauce you are so fond of, may at this minute be making munitions of war, for the European conflict, has really caused a stress in Boston hotels.

It was admitted yesterday that waiters, cooks, kitchen helpers and even dish washers have listened to the call of the munitions makers and deserted their pots and pans for shells and cartridges.

For some time this condition of affairs has been known to exist, but it was only yesterday that the situation became at all acute.

Emile Coulton of the Hotel Westminster is authority for the statement that munition makers are paying unskilled men \$40 a week and skilled mechanics \$75 a week.

This has resulted in many of the men who formerly walked about dining rooms and cafes with snowy napkins over their arms, forsaking their calling to make munitions of war.

ANOTHER RUG CO. COMING

Secretary John H. Murphy of the board of trade is now negotiating with officials of the Pelag-Breslin Co., a concern manufacturing high grade rugs with a factory in New Jersey, in an attempt to have the old company locate in this city, and Mr. Murphy believes that his efforts will be successful and that the rug manufacturers will open a new plant in this city, probably in the Lowell Realty building, which will be erected in Middlesex street, and which will be ready for occupancy by Oct. 1.

SAN ANTONIO HEARS OF SURPRISE ATTACK

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 6.—A report of the surprise attack on Villa forces at Ojo-Azules early yesterday received at headquarters here today from Gen. Funston at El Paso, says

that forty-two Mexicans were killed and 75 horses and mules were captured by the Americans. The band numbered 140 men, according to the report.

# PASTOR RUSSELL

RUSSELL of Brooklyn Tabernacle

Will lecture in person at the

Opera House, Tomorrow, 3 O'Clock

Subject: "The Battle of Armageddon"

ADMISSION IS FREE—NO COLLECTION

Everyone Invited.

Be sure to be present

# KEITH'S

LOWELL'S LEADING THEATRE

SPECIAL SUNDAY

Matinee 2:15. Evening 7:30. Biggest and Best of Them All.

# THE PALMER GLEE CLUB

75—Lowell's Favorite Singers—75 Other Big Acts and Photo-plays.

No Advance in Prices.

5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. Mat. and Eve.

DON'T MISS THIS BIG TREAT.

Next Week is Farewell Week of Vaudeville

Fresh From European Triumphs

# ANNA CHANDLER

In "All Original Ideas"

Diamond & Brennan

In "Niftynonsense"

Wm. Wilson & Co.

In: "The Politician"

TOM KUMA

Lightning Ring Artist

Vaudeville's Supreme Minstrel Offering.

# Add Hoyt's Minstrels

Famous Sextet of Stars

ED. M. GORDON and IDA DAY

In: "Silent Nonsense"

CAHILL CLIFTON and GLOSS

Singers and Dancers of Today

## To the Theatre-Goers of Lowell and Surrounding Cities and Towns

The most successful stock season in Lowell's theatrical history and one which is unparalleled in all New England, will be brought to a most successful termination this evening.

The latest successes in plays, the strongest company, the hearty co-operation of the newspapers and above all, the warm and loyal support of the people of Lowell and the surrounding cities and towns, were the factors in the remarkable year at the Lowell Opera House.

For this cordial response to their effort, the management of the Lowell Opera House is deeply grateful to the thousands of patrons who thronged the house each succeeding week, and in return promise for next season to give as good, if not better, and the best at all times. We thank you.

SITES-EMERSON COMPANY

## TONIGHT AT THE ROLLAWAY LAST NIGHT OF SIX DAY RACE

Fastest Spirits of Entire Week are Looked For. Watch Them Go

ADMISSION, 10 CENTS.

## ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE

Auspices of No. Chelmsford Boy Scouts

PIERROT SHOW

Given by St. Anne's Troop, Box

Lowell, on Tuesday evening

May 9, 8 o'clock, Town Hall, No.

Chelmsford's Imperial orchestra, Refreshments.

Late car to Lowell. Tickets 25c. Children under 12, 10 cents.

VIOLIN INSTRUCTION

New pupils now enrolling for Summer Term.

Wed, 2 to 3; Saturday 6 to 8 P. M.

Write for Circular.

PROVIDENCE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Principal, J. C. Dickenson.

Traders Bank Building, 38 and 40

Middlesex Street

Lawrence Branch: 477 Essex Street.

DESK POT AND PANS

Cooks, Kitchen Helpers, Dish Washers and Waiters Give Up Jobs and Become Munitions Makers

BOSTON, May 6.—Jean, who is your favorite waiter in the Hotel De Gilt, or Gustave, the man in the regions below who compounds that delicious sauce you are so fond of, may at this minute be making munitions of war, for the European conflict, has really caused a stress in Boston hotels.

A sad accident occurred at Canobie Lake park yesterday when the long-legged animals were placed aboard a flat electric car to be conveyed to Lowell. One of the deer while going over the runway leading from the enclosure to the car received a fracture of one

# SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

## REAL ESTATE OPERATIONS

Many New Buildings to be Erected  
—Many Small Jobs on Hand  
—Deeds Recorded for Week

The work of razing the buildings on the site of the new high school in Kirk and Anne streets has been pushed ahead very rapidly during the past week and the only building that remains standing at the present time is that which was occupied by the Day Nursery up to Thursday night. This building also would have been down by this time but for the fact that the Swift-McNutt Co. postponed the demolition of the building until the directors of the nursery could secure new or temporary quarters.

As stated in The Sun during the early part of the week, new quarters have been secured at 12 Fiske street, but inasmuch as it will be almost a year before the new building can be occupied temporary quarters are to be taken up at the Day Nursery in First street.

The snow and inclement weather bothered the company in charge of the tearing down of the buildings almost from the time they started the work.

### NEW BUILDINGS

Austin and Rose Callery have been

**Frank L. Weaver Alva H. Weaver**  
**Frank L. Weaver & Son**

**Roofing Contractors**  
Office 43 Traders Bank Building, Lowell, Mass.

**WALTER E. GUYETTE**  
Real Estate Broker and Auctioneer

Office 55 Central St., Room 77-78  
A complete list of city properties of exceptional quality at bargain prices.

**MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE**  
Parties can borrow on either first or second mortgages. Old mortgage notes discounted. Heirs or others can have money advanced on undivided estates anywhere.

**CARROLL BROS.**  
PLUMBERS and STEAM FITTERS

36 Middle St. Tel. 5170

**JOHN BRADY**  
155 Church Street—Telephone

DRY STAR WOOD, MILL KINDLING WOOD, SPRUCE EDGINGS, HARD WOOD, HARD WOOD BUTTS, HARD and SOFT WOOD TRASH. I guarantee my \$1 and \$2 Loads of Mill Kindlings to be the Best in Lowell. If not as represented the wood is free.

**J. A. SIMPSON**  
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDING MOVER

Office 421 Hildreth Bldg.

Res. Tel. 4385-W, 67 Methuen St.

by counsel for the defense found that the shooting was accidental and discharged Keene.

**Jail for Four Months**

Adelard Gregoire and Leon Gaudour were arrested the day before yesterday by Patrolman Patrick Bagley and when they were brought to the police station they were booked for drunkenness. They appeared in court yesterday morning and admitted their guilt but their cases were continued until this morning in order that the police might make an investigation which might cause them to be charged with more serious offense.

In court this morning when Judge Fisher was apprised of the actions of the pair he sentenced each to four months in jail.

**SUN BREVITIES**

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Goodrich Printers, Beharrell.

Best place for hats, Delorme, Sun Bldg.

Interest begins today, May 6, at the Central Savings bank.

Mrs. Fred Horne is spending a fortnight at her cottage in Beechwood, Me.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, 223 Hildreth Bldg. Telephone.

Among the trade marks recently registered in the U. S. patent office, through the offices of General Gardner W. Pearson, is one to the Standard Shoe Machinery Co. for shoemakers' tools and appliances.

At a meeting of the Lowell Historical society to be held in city hall next Wednesday, Mrs. Sara Swan Griffin will read a paper on "The Romantic Marriage of the Princess Westmore."

Mrs. Fred E. Nelson of 31 Clark Hospital will entertain the Lowell General Aid association Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Nelson will be assisted by Mrs. Frederick J. Boynton, Dr. H. M. Larabee will speak and Mrs. N. J. Marcotte will sing.

The Nurses' Alumni of the Lowell Corporation hospital met yesterday afternoon with 21 members present. Miss Phillips, 12, of Somerville was present. Important business was transacted and two new members were admitted.

"The Ladies' Battle," a three-act comedy given last week by a cast of young women, is being the annual play of the Middlesex Women's club, and witnessed only by the members, was presented to the public at Colonial hall last night before a large and appreciative audience. The entertainment was held for the benefit of the children's gardens, a work in which the club is to share this summer.

**MRS. KELLY'S FUNERAL**

Judge Thomas J. Enright attended the funeral of Mrs. Honora Kelly at Randolph, Mass., this morning. The deceased was the sister of the late Rev. Daniel J. Gleason, a former curate at St. Patrick's church in this city and later rector at Randolph. She was also a cousin of Mr. William O'Brien of St. Patrick's church this city. There was a large attendance of clergymen and relatives and friends of the deceased at the funeral.

granted a permit to erect a two-family dwelling at 355-357 Wentworth avenue. The building when completed will be 29 by 28 feet and each apartment will contain six rooms, pantry and bath. The estimated cost of the structure is \$300.

Charles E. Cashin is building a dwelling at 1821 Middlesex street. The building will have a frontage of 26 feet and extend back 30 feet. It will contain a common reception hall, pantry and bath, with a vestibule five by six feet. The estimated cost is \$1800.

A permit has been granted to the American Hide & Leather Co. to erect a garage, 12 feet, 8 inches, by 27 feet, 8 inches, one story high, in Perry street, adjacent to its plant. The building will be constructed of brick and concrete, will be heated from the main plant and the cost of the building will be about \$2500.

Joseph Lalonde is erecting a dwelling on a new street off Seventh avenue, opposite Mt. Grove street, the street being unnamed as yet. It will be 20 by 28 feet, contain six rooms, pantry and bath, and cost \$1200.

A permit has been granted to Elizabeth Clough to construct a garage 12 by 17 feet in the rear of 31 Third avenue.

Two modern dwellings are to be erected in Georgia avenue, one at \$9 by Mildred Brennan, and the other at \$7 by Elmer Brennan. Both will be practically the same, each being 25' feet by 27 1/2 feet, two and one-half stories high, containing eight rooms, pantry and bath, with two front bays. The cost of each will be about \$2700.

**ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS**

Andrew Goggin has been granted a permit to make an addition for a kitchen, pantry and bath at 146 B street, the estimated cost of the improvements being \$550.

Lizzie Monahan is adding a front and rear piazza at 41 Bowers street at a cost of \$125.

A permit has been granted to John Axon to make improvements in his apartment at 52 Sixth avenue. A portion of the rear of the building now used as a shed is to be converted into a chamber and bath room. The cost will be \$225.

A rear stairway is being placed inside the building owned by J. M. and L. M. Spurr at 35 Race street. The cost of the addition is \$50.

Francis N. Abdell is making extensive alterations to his property at 72 Adams street. The building, which is a two and one-half story affair, is to be made over into three-story building with a flat roof. A store and six rooms will occupy the first floor, but there will be seven rooms, pantry and bath on the second and third floors. The cost of alterations will be about \$1600.

John J. Sullivan has been granted a permit to erect a piazza at 67 Washington street, the cost of the addition being about \$100.

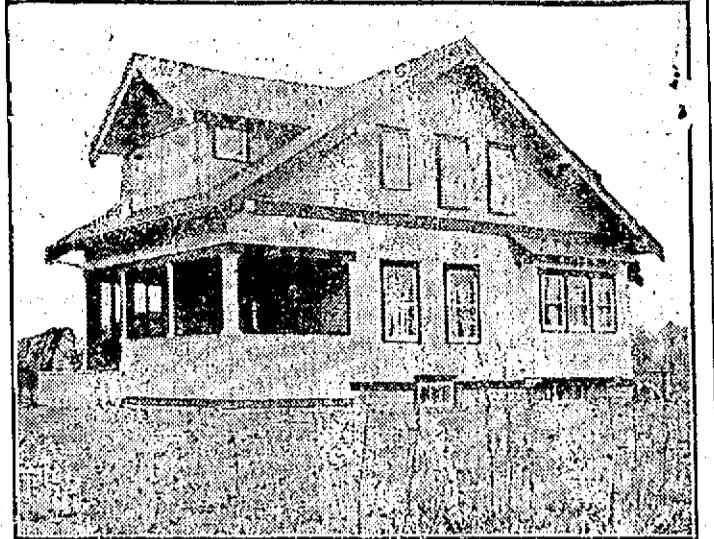
Calia Cote is having a piazza platform added to her home at 314 Hilliard street.

A permit has been granted to Rose O'Loughlin to change over the front room of her building at 8 Rogers street into a store and to put in a store front. The cost to make the alterations is estimated at \$100.

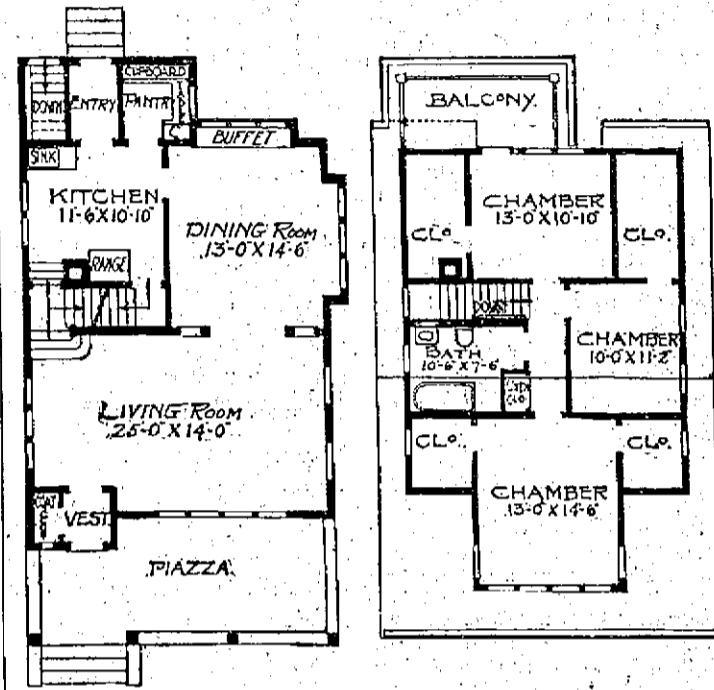
Wright Whitley is making alterations to his property at 98 Andrews street which will cost about \$600.

The building is to be raised about seven feet and the basement transformed into a store. An addition will

## COFFEE WITH AN UP TO DATE PIAZZA



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

This cottage plan provides for a large piazza, screened in for summer use. The living room is entered through the vestibule, with the coat closet at the left. This room has a stairway leading to the second story. Between the living room and dining room is a bookcase archway. In the dining room is a large buffet, with windows above. The kitchen has ample space for built-in cupboards; pantry in the rear. Size, 26 feet wide by 90 feet deep, exclusive of heating and plumbing, about \$3,100.

Wright Whitley is making alterations to his property at 98 Andrews street which will cost about \$600.

The building is to be raised about seven feet and the basement transformed into a store. An addition will

be made to the front of the building.

William Emond is having a piazza added to the rear of his building at 227 Walker street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending May 6, 1916

Lowell

Hattie L. Beharrell et al. to George Bannister et ux. land and buildings on Haworth street.

Ida E. Platt et al. to Mary F. Bourke, land and buildings on Walden street.

Pamel D. Bergeron to Mary A. French, land and buildings on Westford street.

Louis Poissant et ux. to Ida C. Courville, land on Farmland road.

Ida C. Courville to The Lowell Grocery Co., land on Farmland road.

John S. Brodie et ux. to Charles E. Wood et ux. land and buildings on Wood street.

Arnold S. Welch est. by admr. to H. Frances Clark, land and buildings on Appleton street and passageway.

Helen J. Welch to H. Frances Clark, land and buildings on Appleton street and passageway.

Alvin H. Fletcher to Elsie M. Moulton, land on Hillside street.

Helen G. Parkhurst et al. to Helen Louise Fletcher, land and buildings corner King and High streets.

R. B. Phillips Mfg. Co., Boston, to International Steel & Ordnance Corp., New York, land on Middlesex street.

Joseph W. Griffin et ux. to Lowell Day Service, land and buildings on Palmer street and passageway.

John C. Bourke et ux. to Walter S. Miller, land and buildings on Puffer avenue and Jewett street.

Herbert C. Taft et ux. to Walter S. Miller, land and buildings on Burt street.

Alpha Sargent Bacon to Horace Sargeant Bacon, land and buildings, corner Stevens and Troy streets.

Mary E. Mooney et al. to Roseanna C. McHugh, land and buildings on Lincoln street.

Frank E. Sanborn est. by admr. to Florence B. Sanborn Morris, land and buildings on Bay street.

R. B. Phillips Mfg. Co., Boston, to International Steel & Ordnance Corp., New York, land on Middlesex street.

Elizabeth F. Cogan et al. to John H. Douglass, land and buildings on Concord street.

D. Arthur Brown, Jr. to Mary A. McCarthy, land on Sunset road.

Mary J. Perrigo et al. to Walter A. Perrigo, land and buildings on Tremont street.

John J. McLoughlin to Brunswick G. Fowler, land on Chestnut street.

Brunswick G. Fowler et ux. to Margaret T. Merryweather, land on Chestnut street.

Aaron Adelman et ux. to John Connelly, land on Chestnut street.

Helen G. Sheehan to Leander G. Tait, land on Fifer avenue.

James E. Burke, Jr. to Cable Slater et al. land on The Pines.

Eugene P. Seelye to Gertrude E. van Wie, land on Shawshank road.

James E. Burke, Jr. to Albert L. Weston et ux., land at Pinehurst Manor.

Richard F. Johnson to John Anderson et al., land and buildings at Nuttings Lake Park.

Chelmsford

Mary E. Jacques to Bernard Nelson, land on road from Centre to Billerica.

Samuel T. Fowler et ux. to David Fraser, land on road from North Chelmsford Village to Groton.

Alvin H. Fletcher to Elsie M. Moulton, land on Hillside street.

Helen G. Parkhurst et al. to Helen Louise Fletcher, land and buildings corner King and High streets.

R. B. Phillips Mfg. Co., Boston, to International Steel & Ordnance Corp., New York, land on Middlesex street.

Dracut

Fred C. Tobey Land Co. by tr. to Vina Prentiss, land at Lakeview Gardens.

Fred C. Tobey Land Co. by tr. to Edward G. Smith, land at Bel-Air Park.

Western Land Trust by tr. to Alfred Greiner, land at Merrimack Park.

Percy Parker et ux. to Athanasius Neras, land 100 feet from Parker avenue.

Grace Haslam et ux. to William George Porter, land at Walbrook.

William Haslam et ux. to William George Porter, land at Walbrook.

Eastern Land Trust by tr. to Philipas Corbin, land at Merrimack Park.

Tewksbury

Fred Steward to Catherine S. Stewart, land at Oakland Park.

John E. Nichols, land at Chelmsford, land and buildings on Newbury, Littlefield and Veranda avenues.

Mary E. Moore et al. to Roseanna C. McHugh, land and buildings on Lincoln street.

Frank E. Sanborn est. by admr. to Florence B. Sanborn Morris, land and buildings on Bay street.

R. B. Phillips Mfg. Co., Boston, to International Steel & Ordnance Corp., New York, land on Middlesex street.

Frederick R. Percival to Merrimac Chemical Co., land on Newburg avenue.

Henry F. Davis est. by ext. to Merrimac Chemical Co., land on Newburg avenue.

Mary Leonard et al. to Ellen Batterton, land on Beachmont avenue and Folson street.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to John Palumbo, land at Fairview Park.

LOWELL WALL PAPER CO.

# THE LOWELL SUN

JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor

SUN BUILDING, MERRIMACK SQUARE, LOWELL, MASS.

Member of the Associated Press

THREE DOLLARS PER YEAR. TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER MONTH.

## THE GERMAN REPLY

The reply of the German government to the emphatic note of President Wilson is a remarkable and somewhat rambling document in which a contemptuous independence and a meek humility are strangely interwoven. Meant for the consumption of the German public as well as the Washington government, it is so phrased that almost anything can be read into it. As a reply to an ultimatum it is a disappointment, but nevertheless it makes important concessions and, for the time being at least, that is the main thing. The note gives the government at Washington a way out of a delicate situation and we now know that a break with this country is not desired. Had President Wilson insisted on the recognition of the letter of his demands, he might now consistently break with Germany. The indications are that the government of the United States will accept the promises of Germany at their face value and give her another chance to live up to them.

It is no small concession that Germany grants, even though she grants it conditionally. Stripped of its diplomatic verbiage and boiled down to essentials, the note declares that Germany will use her submarines according to international law, provided that England also will act according to international law—as Germany interprets it. In accepting the German concession this country must also accept the attached condition, but in the last analysis the issue is squarely between the United States and Germany and no legal or illegal act of England may enter into the negotiations between Washington and Berlin. A promise has been given, and if a break comes later it will come only through the illegal acts and broken promises of Germany.

The most important section of the note, and the only section that specifically meets the American demands quoted new orders that have been given to submarine commanders are as follows:

"In accordance with the general principles of visit and search and the destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law, such vessels, both within and without the area declared a naval war zone, shall not be sunk without warning and without saving human lives unless the ship attempts to escape or offer resistance."

If lived up to, this will prove sufficient, but remembering the past we can only wait and see, meanwhile hoping for the best.

Here and there throughout the note there are significant points which are not inserted without reason. Starting out with a brave show of independence the note soon becomes modified in tone, and the American government is assured that the German government holds for us the most cordial friendship. Germany regrets that "mistakes" have happened in the conduct of the war, but adds: "As the German government repeatedly declared, it cannot dispense with the use of the submarine weapon in the conduct of warfare against enemy trade." This is evidently meant for the German people, but America never asked for the abandonment of the submarine, asking merely that it be used in accordance with international law. Another important point is that in which Germany assures us that it is "resolved to go to the utmost limit of concessions" and hints at its readiness to discuss peace whenever the allies may care to do so. This desire for peace is probably behind the German concessions, but the main thing is that the American note has been adequately answered, and an immediate break has been averted.

## ROOSEVELT'S VERACITY

The American people are too busy as a whole to look up most of the accusations of Colonel Roosevelt, but occasionally a patient newspaper does a little investigating, with remarkable results. The following editorial from the Washington Post speaks for itself:

Having had occasion to examine certain newspaper files covering the period of the Roosevelt administration, the Evening Post is again despairing of the colonel's veracity.

Among other things that were not so, the colonel told the Methodist brethren the other night, in the course of an assault on the administration's Mexican policy, that while he was president "not one man, woman or child was slain by representatives of any foreign nation."

Turning to the files of the worshipful Tribune, the Evening Post finds such records as these in respect to Mexico: July 22, 1904, "Two Americans Shot"; Jan. 16, 1905, "A. J. Sanger Murdered"; Jan. 22, 1905, "Yankees Kill Four Americans." Then, after various minor insults such as "American Fishermen Jailed," and "American Sailors Charged Torture," comes June, 1906, in which "Root Denies American Troops to Cananea," after several Americans had been killed there and the survivors had demanded that the American government send a military force to protect them. In fact, Root and Roosevelt deliberately Chinafied the United States by refusing to send a single soldier across the line, which was probably a most sensible decision.

After having made such interesting discoveries, it is not strange that the Post should have asked: "Do they prove that he is an unblushing liar? If we were treating of Wilson, or Root, or Taft or Bryan, such would be the popular decision, but the colonel is not held to a strict standard of veracity. The Post sums up his immunity

and deserves the punishment of traitors.

But the Irish rebels are not in that class. They did not rebel against their own country but against England, which has held Ireland in subjection for seven centuries. The cases cited by the Courier-Citizen are not parallel or analogous. Suppose our Filipino subjects who are seeking independence should proclaim a republic and attempt to drive out their American rulers, could they be justly termed American traitors? Oh no. They never pledged their allegiance to this country. Our rule was forced upon them; and if they should try to cast off they would be doing only that which the American colonists did and like them they would deserve to be hailed as patriots, not traitors. So with the Irish rebels who figured in the recent revolt however misguided.

## TRUCKS AND PAVEMENTS

The general use of the heavy trucks for teaming purposes has introduced a new element into street paving and calls for special arrangements to meet new conditions. The smooth paving that is so favored for the principal streets does not stand the wear of the heavier vehicles, and the granite paving of the side street is not always suitable in the business district. It may be found necessary in the future for cities to restrict the trucks to certain streets, and to make special provision for them in mapping out a program of street improvement. With our congestion of traffic in certain important districts it would not be possible to do this, but we cannot escape the fact that as the use of trucks becomes more general, the more costly shall become street construction and maintenance. Some method of meeting the difficulty will have to be adopted before our street management is entirely satisfactory.

## ROOT A CANDIDATE!

"The opening of these headquarters meets with the approval of Mr. Root," said Congressman Drift on opening Root headquarters in New York last Thursday, and immediately Root's hat was in the ring. Down falls the cascade of cards built on the imaginary agreement between Roosevelt and Root at a recent luncheon, and down to a still lower level tumbles the Roosevelt stocks. The republicans realize that they are up against a hard proposition to defeat President Wilson, in spite of their pretences, and they are getting their strongest men in line. It is not long since Mr. Root made a touching speech in the senate in which he spoke of retiring to the house on the Hudson where truth and honor dwelt in his youth. Has he grown tired of that house so soon, now that he pines for a sojourn in the White House?

## CONTRIBUTING TO PENSIONS

While there is a growing sentiment against all forms of pensions, the system that obliges public employees to contribute towards a pension has much to recommend it. Men in the public service may be freely quoted against the idea, but these are the men who unblushingly ask the people to support them when they get ready to retire from active life. The contributory pension system is more like a wise insurance that obliges those who are to benefit to put something by for the rainy day, the state to come part way in encouraging them to do so.

This is now being done by the school teachers and by other classes of public employees and unless pension systems are to be eliminated entirely the contributory system will take the place of the present lack of system.

## GARDEN WEATHER

The average man needs no urging for the making of a garden; the desire for one is in the blood and crops out about May every year. To prepare the ground, to plant seeds and to keep out weeds is not a difficult matter and there is more of pleasure than of work in it. Almost any spot can be made productive if given the proper attention. All that is needed is a little enthusiasm and imagination and a sterile lot may be made into a thing of beauty. And how much pleasanter it is to have pansies, roses, tulips or possibly beans and peas growing.

Don't neglect even little cuts or scratches. Blood poisoning with dangerous results may follow if wounds are not properly treated and promptly given attention. Miard's Liniment is clean, stainless, and absolutely pure. It is used in many homes as the dependable remedy for pain of all kinds—Alwaya have it on hand ready for instant use. Any druggist will supply you.

## WRONG AGAIN

The Courier-Citizen compares the case of the Irish rebels to that of German Americans who would attempt to set up a German republic in St. Louis or Chicago while the United States and Germany were engaged in war. The man who would try to overthrow the government of his own country or to offer aid and comfort to her enemies is certainly a traitor.

## RHEUMATIC PAIN STOPPED

The drawing of muscles, the soreness, stiffness and agonizing pain of Rheumatism quickly yield to Sloan's Liniment. It stimulates circulation to the painful part. Just apply as directed to the sore spot. In a short time the pain gives way to a strong sensation of comfort and warmth. Here's proof: I have had wonderful relief since I used your Liniment on my knee. To think one application gave me relief. Sorry I haven't space to tell you the history. Thanking you for what your remedy has done for me.—James S. Ferguson, Philada., Pa.

Sloan's Liniment kills pain.

GUMB BROS.  
Cor. Gorham and Anderson sts.  
Near Edison Cemetery. Tel. 1017  
Auto supplies, Beharrell, 73 Middle.

MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS  
All of our descriptions in granite, marble and bronze. Our manufacturing plant has the most modern power equipment and every labor saving device.

Devinne's Trunk Store  
Removed to

ing around the door than a miscellaneous assortment of cans and rubbish of all sorts?

**SEEN AND HEARD**  
Any farm boy can tell you that corn planting time is just about swimming pool opening time.

**Not for a Nickel**  
It was in a country store in Arkansas. A one-galaxy customer drifted in. "Gimme a nickel's worth of asafetida." The clerk poured some asafetida in a paper bag and pushed it across the counter.

"Charge it," drawled the customer. "What's your name?" asked the clerk. "Honeyfunkel." "Take it," said the clerk. "I wouldn't write asafetida and Honeyfunkel for five cents."—Everybody's.

Remembering His Name

Two women who were picking out the wall paper for an apartment had made some progress, but had not finished when it was time for luncheon. The saleswoman had been obliging and expeditious and on the way out the customers asked his name of the manager so they could call for his services later.

His name was Sheridan and they decided to clinch it by thinking of "Sheridan's Ride." Two hours later they returned and said they would like to see Paul Revere. —Exchange.

You Never Can Tell

At 20 she was slim, good looking, nimble on her feet and always looking her best when she stepped out the door, says a Missourian exchange. Then it was he went crazy about her and wondered if she ever would be his. At 50 she was about the general shape of a stock of deer, only a great deal larger.

She looked like a frowsy Amazon and she walked like a crippled duck. But, thanks to the gods, the youth who loved her daughter never had a thought that the latter would in her time look and get around like her mother. No man can see 30 years ahead, even when it turns back and steps on his feet. You never can tell.—Boston Transcript.

Biting His Tongue

An old lady, walking in a field, came across a squirrel watching his companion eat a nut while chewing football. "Well, my little fellow," said the old lady kindly, "why aren't you playing football with the other boys?"

"The captain cracked me out for mussing a punt," replied the small boy sadly.

"Really? Then, if they had treated me like that I wouldn't stand watching them while they played."

"I ain't watching them. I'm waiting till the game's over, an' then I'll smash the captain," replied the small boy savagely.—Exchange.

Edgar A. Guest

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Where?

Peace may therefore be said to rule in our industrial world.—Lynn News.

One Who Dares

Some of our highly educated Boston dabbles have a queer idea of the meaning of English.—Fitchburg Sentinel.

Good If True

The good news this morning is that an agreement is in sight in Mexicali negotiations.—Lewiston Sun.

Brain or Brains

New York university has dropped for deferments in their studies seven football men, eleven track athletes and two members of the baseball team.—Haverhill Gazette.

Lent We Forget

Also Clean Up Week. And this is the day to get down in the cellar.—Fitchburg News.

Ob Thanks Doe!

"Keep on kissing, girl, don't be afraid of the germs." This is the cheering advice given by Dr. Charles E. Page.—Worcester Post.

Or Fifth Perhaps

Mr. Hughes at this writing seems to be gaining ground rapidly. But one cannot tell what the morrow will bring forth.—Woonsocket Call.

He Is Learning

We recur to the old-fashioned man for the reason that we wish to ask what became of the one who used to refer to Japan as "a wonderful little people."—Topeka Capital.

A Russian Circle

Germany may soon be described as a great nation entirely surrounded by Russians, now that the Muscovites are entering the trenches in the west.—Brockton Times.

Capital Punishment

The latest murder trial has in the attention of the court in Boston, and the condemned犯人, voiced by Governor McCall, that capital punishment is no longer popular in this state.—Fall River Herald.

Tremendous Indeed

In the center of the tragedy is the rebel leader, a school-master and a poet, who appears to have been ill gifted for the tremendous task assigned him.—Boston Journal.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The members of James A. Garfield Relief Corps, 33, was held Thursday night. The sewing circle met in the afternoon and supper was served at six o'clock. The meeting was called to order shortly before 8 o'clock by Mrs. Elvira Giles Flanders.

Business was transacted and an invitation was accepted to attend the memorial exercises on April 16 in Highland hall, in honor of the Civil war veterans. J. Gilman of Boston will be the orator of the evening. With deep regret the corps learned of the sad accident to one of the members, Mrs. Laura Coburn, who fell down a flight of stairs, breaking her right arm and wrist and several ribs, also sustaining injuries to her back. The meeting closed with the salute to the flag.

Daughters of Pocahontas

The Daughters of Pocahontas had a whist party in their hall last Wednesday evening. The men's prizes were won by S. A. Ryan and J. H. Roach, and the ladies' prizes were won by Miss Hollie and Miss Alice Frazer.

Sam Walter Foss Literary Club

The Sam Walter Foss Literary club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. F. French, 318 Parkview avenue, with Mrs. S. French and Mrs. H. E. Chase as hostesses. The meeting took the form of a Japanese party. The interior of the house was artistically decorated for the occasion in real Japanese style. The hostesses and ushers were very elaborate gowns, Japanese style. Miss Mildred French and Miss Eva French; Miss Alice Crompton and Miss Helen Farrington were the ushers. Miss Mildred French gave two solos on the organ and Miss Crompton sang two Japanese songs. Miss Marion Fletcher, Miss Elizabeth Flemings and Miss Margaret Sumner sang "Three Little Maids From School." Dainty refreshments were served in a Japanese garden. The club voted to give \$10 to the Old Ladies Home.

Camp Farragut

The regular meeting of Admiral Farragut camp, No. 78, Sons of Veterans, was held last night in Post 155 hall in Central street. Commander L. F. Monroe presided and considerable business was transacted during the evening. Prior to the meeting a flash-light photograph of the camp was taken, the photograph to be used in the history of Lowell soon to be issued. Fifty-six members of the organization will appear in the picture. Mr. Stoll and a Mr. Gordon, the latter of New York, then briefly entertained the members. Two applications for membership were received and Post Commander A. A. Bronson, Tuesday, May 3. The local camp will escort Post 155 Sunday, May 28, to the divine service to be held at the Calvary Baptist church.

Ladd and Whitney Post

The regular meeting of Ladd and Whitney post, 155, was held Wednesday evening the commander in the chair. Taps and lights-out were sounded by Bugler Bryant, the last sad duties of respect to the late Comrade Joseph F. Slater. The committee on Memorial day reported progress. The commander was given full power to make the necessary arrangements for transportation of the post to Tewksbury on Memorial day noon. The post having accepted an invitation to assist the town in its services on that day. Comrades intending to go will procure tickets without delay, so it may be known how many autos to secure. A. J. Bixby was elected surgeon and Mr. M. F. Smith and A. J. Bixby were elected to the relief committee to fill out the unexpired term. Post Commander George A. Adams and others spoke under the good of the order. The supper preceding the business meeting was enjoyed by all.

High Shoes in Spring

weights and Low Oxfords, in dark tan, mahogany bark, tanned Brown Cordovan leather, made with invisible eyelets, English cord laces, low "custom" heels, and also the same attractive styles in all good black leathers.

We are sole agents in Lowell for Hanan & Son, who unquestionably produce the finest shoes made in America.

These new Spring Shoes, in all leathers from

\$3.50 to \$7.00

with your feet, right back home you go." "Gosh. A divorce," breathed the next door man to his wife. They spent most of the night wondering whether the newlyweds could live together another week.

"Well, he had the right to spoil her carpet," commented the wife with a faint smile that ended the discussion. Next morning a curly-haired black pup was cavorting over the lawn of the newlyweds.

"Charlie," the young wife was saying to the new pet, "I'm sorry I scolded you last night, but your feet were terribly muddy."—Columbus Dispatch.

Out Fishin'

A fisher isn't thinkin' mean,

Out fishin';

His thoughts are mostly good and clean;

Out fishin';

He doesn't knock his fellow men,

Or harbor any grudges then;

A fisher's at his finest, when

Out fishin';

The rich are comrades to the poor,

Out fishin';

All brothers of a common lure,

Out fishin';

The urchin with the pin an' string

<div

## ALLEGED BOMB PLOT

DEFENSE RESTS—DAECKE DENIES KNOWING OF FAY'S EXPLOSIVES—CASE MAY GO TO JURY MONDAY

NEW YORK, May 6.—The defense in the trial of Lieut. Robert Fay of the German army, his brother-in-law, Walter Scholz, and Paul Daecke, on charge of conspiring to destroy munitions ships, rested late yesterday. Judge Howe adjourned court until next Monday, when it is expected the case will go to the jury.

Paul Daecke yesterday denied all knowledge of Fay's alleged bomb plot, and testified he had not seen the lieutenant's bomb until it was demonstrated in court. He said he believed Fay a purchaser of supplies for his government, and that as a German reservist, he was compelled to carry out Fay's orders.

Daecke asserted he was coerced by the police into making his alleged confession, which Capt. Tunney denied in rebuttal.

Motion for dismissal of the indictment was denied by Judge Howe.

## WOMEN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

NEW YORK, May 6.—The annual championship of the Women's Eastern Golf association to be held this year on the links of the Essex County club at Manchester, Mass., on June 5, 6 and 7 will be played off at the rate of 18 holes a day for the three days, a total of 54 holes instead of 36 as in the two previous contests. Mrs. Lawrence Swift, secretary of the association, in announcing the championships today, said the title would be decided by medal play and that there would be a handicap competition each day.

## WOMAN SLASHED BY THIEF

BOSTON, May 6.—Mrs. Jessie Hendrickson, 63 years old, had an encounter with a burglar in her home, 70 Mystic Avenue, Somerville, early yesterday morning and received a severe wound in her right forearm from a razor or very sharp knife.

Mrs. Hendrickson was awakened at 3:15 by a noise beside her bed and saw the form of a man rise from the floor. She called out to him but receiving no answer jumped from her bed and grappled with him. She was unable to hold him, however, and he escaped jumping through the kitchen window. She was unable to give a description of her assailant.



ALBERT NEBES,

Who Looks Like a Likely Winner of the 6 Day Race at "The Rollaway" Way Which Ends Tonight.

## BAY STATE MOTORCYCLE CLUB

## DES JARDIEN WITH CLEVELAND

CHICAGO, May 6.—Paul des Jardien, University of Chicago, baseball and football star, is today a member of the Nashua dealer in Harley-Davidson motorcycles and of Joseph Parmentier, the dealer for Lowell. The invitation to attend is extended to every motorcyclist in Lowell. The party will leave Lowell tomorrow morning at 11:30; the starting point will be at Mr. Parmentier's shop, Moody street. Upon reaching Nashua a lunch will be served the riders.

## LOWELL LOSES SOFT GAME

Lord's Swatters Unable to Hit Rieger—Green Touched Up Freely at New London

Special to The Sun  
NEW LONDON, Conn., May 6.—Paddy Green, former Planter, worked against his 1914 teammates down at Plant field yesterday afternoon, and fared badly. Freddy Rieger, who was sent out by Manager McCann to stem the hard-hitting Lowell club, held Harry Lord's reputed heavy hitters in the palm of his hand and New London won in a romp, 6-0.

Paddy, rumor had it, had asked that he might be allowed to get the Plant's scalp. Since the post-season Lawrence-New London series of 1914, Paddy and Manager McCann have been none too friendly, and the big fellow has been itching, it's said, for a chance to humble his former associates. He got the chance yesterday afternoon, but fell down in it woefully.

The Planters jostled Paddy for nine hits, most of them timely, and ran wild on the bases while Paddy persisted in using his famous windmill windup. Joe Rodriguez, the Cuban first baseman of the New London club, stole home in the second inning. Greenie took a big windup and the speedy Cuban was off with it like a flash. Paddy threw a wide curve and Rodriguez did him in with time to spare. When it is observed that Paddy gave five bases on balls and turned in two balks, it can hardly be said that he had a successful afternoon.

Rieger pitched a remarkable game. Lowell got to him for but three hits and but one of these reached the outfield. Stimpson got the first hit, a bouncer, that Rieger stopped but couldn't field in time. Tom Downey in the second inning hit a short fly that dropped over shortstop just beyond O'Connell. The third and last hit was a grounder that Dowd fielded cleanly but Lord beat out by the narrowest margin.

It was a game holding small interest for the spectator. Its one-sidedness made it uninteresting and neither team displayed much pep. The cold weather of the past few days hung on and made it anything but a good day for baseball.

Rodriguez staged some more of the spectacular first base plays that have become his daily performance and Whitehouse made a good running catch of Lord's line drive in the first. Whitehouse got the ball back to first in time to complete a double play. Stimpson having dashed for second when Lord's drive promised to go safe.

New London ran true to form by scoring in the first inning. Russell got a base on balls, took second on Dowd's sacrifice and scored when Whitehouse lined a scorching single to right center.

One was added in the second. Rodriguez singled, took second on a balk, third on a passed ball and then pulled off his spectacular steal of home.

In the third the Planters scored a brace of runs. Dowd singled and went to second when Green made his second balk. Welser singled and Dowd scored. Rodriguez singled and Welser counted.

Two more runs, the last of the game, were scored in the fourth, both the result of Torphy's error. O'Connell singled and Fish laid down a bunt that was intended for a sacrifice, but went safe. Rieger pushed both runners forward a base on a perfect sacrifice. Dowd hit to Torphy who fumbled the drive and then threw to first in a vain attempt to get the batter. Munn had scored and Fish was right at his heels. Munn threw home to get Fish, but the throw was tardy. Dowd dashed for second, but a fine play by Greenhalge cut him down. Lowell plays at Plant field again this afternoon.

The score:

	LOWELL	NEW LONDON
Stimpson lf	4 0 0 1 2 0 0	3 0 0 0 1 0 0
Lord 3b	3 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Munn 1b	2 0 0 0 1 0 0	2 0 0 0 1 0 0
Baileys cf	4 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Biggs rf	4 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Greenhalge c	2 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Downey 2b	3 0 0 1 2 0 0	3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Torphy ss	3 0 0 0 3 0 1	3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Green p	3 0 0 1 3 0 0	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	28 6 0 3 24 13 2	28 6 0 3 27 12 1

New London: Left on bases: New London 6; Lowell 4. Bases on balls: Off Rieger 4; off Green 5; Balk 1; Green 3; Struck out: By Rieger 4; by Green 3; Passed ball: Greenhalge. Stolen bases: Fish 2; Rodriguez; Rieger; Welser. Two-base hits: Dowd; Manning. Sacrifice hits: Dowd; Rieger. Double play: Whitehouse and Rodriguez; Rodriguez to O'Connell to Rodriguez. Time: two hours. Umpire: Stafford. Attendance: 450.

## YALE MAKES A SPRINT

FOR FIRST TIME IN WEEK HE HEADS NEBES AT FINISH—WINNER TO BE DECIDED TONIGHT

The final stretch in the exciting six day race between four of the fastest skaters in New England will take place at the Rollaway tonight and a keen interest in the result is shown by the skating fandom. For the first time all week, Yale last night kept up with Nebes during the 30 minutes of racing and when the bell rang the

last year, has joined the New Haven club.

Reports from New London say that Art LaVigne's sore arm is improving, and he hopes to be back in the game before many days.

Bridgeport is claiming the largest attendance of the season. In four games played at Newfield park there have been 7200 paid admissions. On Sunday there were more than 3000 who paid to see Portland and on Saturday about 1800 paid in. A rainy opening day brought out 1000 and the usual Monday crowd turned out. The Bridgeport owners say their Sunday attendance is larger than any other club can show for a single game.

Seven home runs in the first twelve games is the record of Louis Guieto, of the Portland team of the Pacific Coast league. Two of the drives cleared a fence in San Francisco which even Plug Bodie has not been able to reach. Guieto came from St. Mary's college, which has sent out many great ball players in recent years.

The skating duel this season between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians has been such as to make the competition a "cocked-hat" affair.

The halting duel between Ty Cobb and Benny Kauff continues to interest, and now Ty's Speaker's record with the Indians

# NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

## Bill to Tax all Incomes of \$1000 a Year—School Fire Protection Bill Rejected

BOSTON, May 6.—An amendment to the income tax bill to provide for taxing all incomes of \$1000 a year was offered yesterday in the Massachusetts house of representatives by Representative William W. Kennard of Somerville. Consideration of the bill and the amendment went over to Monday. The proposed amendment leaves exemption for wife and children the same as in the bill. Mr. Kennard says:

"If there are those who feel strongly about others trying to evade taxation, here is a chance for them to show that they at least are not in the same class."

Mr. Kennard adds that he believes the change will improve an excellent piece of legislation for which he intends to vote either with or without the amendment.

"I believe," he continues, "that the man who pays a direct tax will be more interested in the economical management of public affairs and efficient government."

### Reject Bill to Guard Pupils

There was a lengthy debate on the bill of Fire Prevention Commissioner John A. O'Keefe and others, rejected by the senate, "to safeguard the lives of children in the construction of schoolhouses."

Mr. Whitney of Winthrop, for the committee on mercantile affairs, called attention to the penalty of \$1000 on a city or town for violating the law. Worcester, for instance, would have to spend \$40,000 to make the changes required by the bill. The committee favored action, but the time proposed by the bill was altogether too short.

Mr. Chamberlain, who favored substitution, said the opponents of the legislation emphasized the importance of the dollar against human life.

Mr. Greenwood of Everett, against the bill, said it would require the city of Cambridge to put fire escapes on every building of Harvard college and pay for them.

By an almost unanimous voice the bill was refused to substitute the bill. The adverse report was then accepted.

Mr. Cameron of Beverly sought to have substituted for an adverse report of the committee on ways and means a bill for a general retirement law for public employees. He outlined the benefits of a retirement system and of contributory pensions as proposed by the measure.

### Reports of Committees

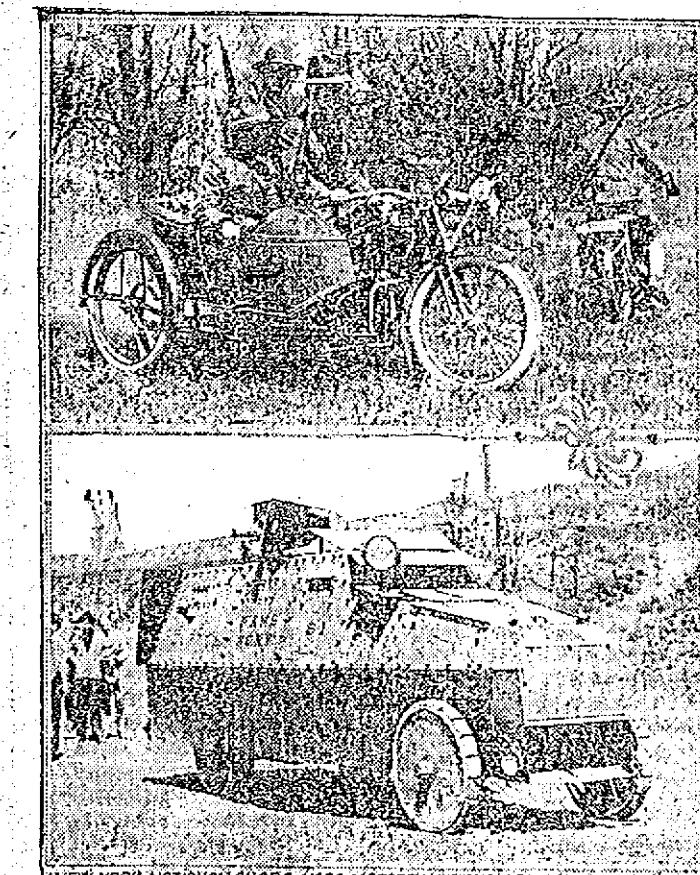
These committee reports were received:

Ways and Means—Ought to pass appropriation of \$25,000 for improvements at state farm; ought not to pass, resolve for the use of prison labor at the Lakeville sanatorium; ought not to pass, bill that no reservation shall be made from Boston public school teachers' salaries for the teachers' retirement fund; ought not to pass, bill to transfer the permanent school fund of Boston to the city's reserve fund; ought to pass, appropriation of \$11,000 for improvements at Prison Camp and Hospital; ought to pass, appropriation of \$6,000 for improvements at the Lyman School for Boys; ought to pass, resolve for an investigation as to a state highway in Somerville; ought to pass, resolve for a barn and dairy equipment for Westford sanatorium; ought to pass, resolve for medical building at North Reading sanatorium; ought to pass, resolve for fireproof warehouse at Massachusetts reformatory; bill that state auditor may appoint accountant and a book-keeper; ought to pass, resolve for use of prison labor at Rutland sanatorium; ought to pass, resolve for a commission to investigate the use of drugs; ought to pass, resolve for resurfacing and completing playground on northeast shore of Lynn harbor; ought to pass, resolve for land and equipment for dairy and land for sewage disposal at Lakeville sanatorium; ought to pass, resolve for improvements at Rutland sanatorium.

### Important Agricultural Bills

On the bill for \$500,000 a year for

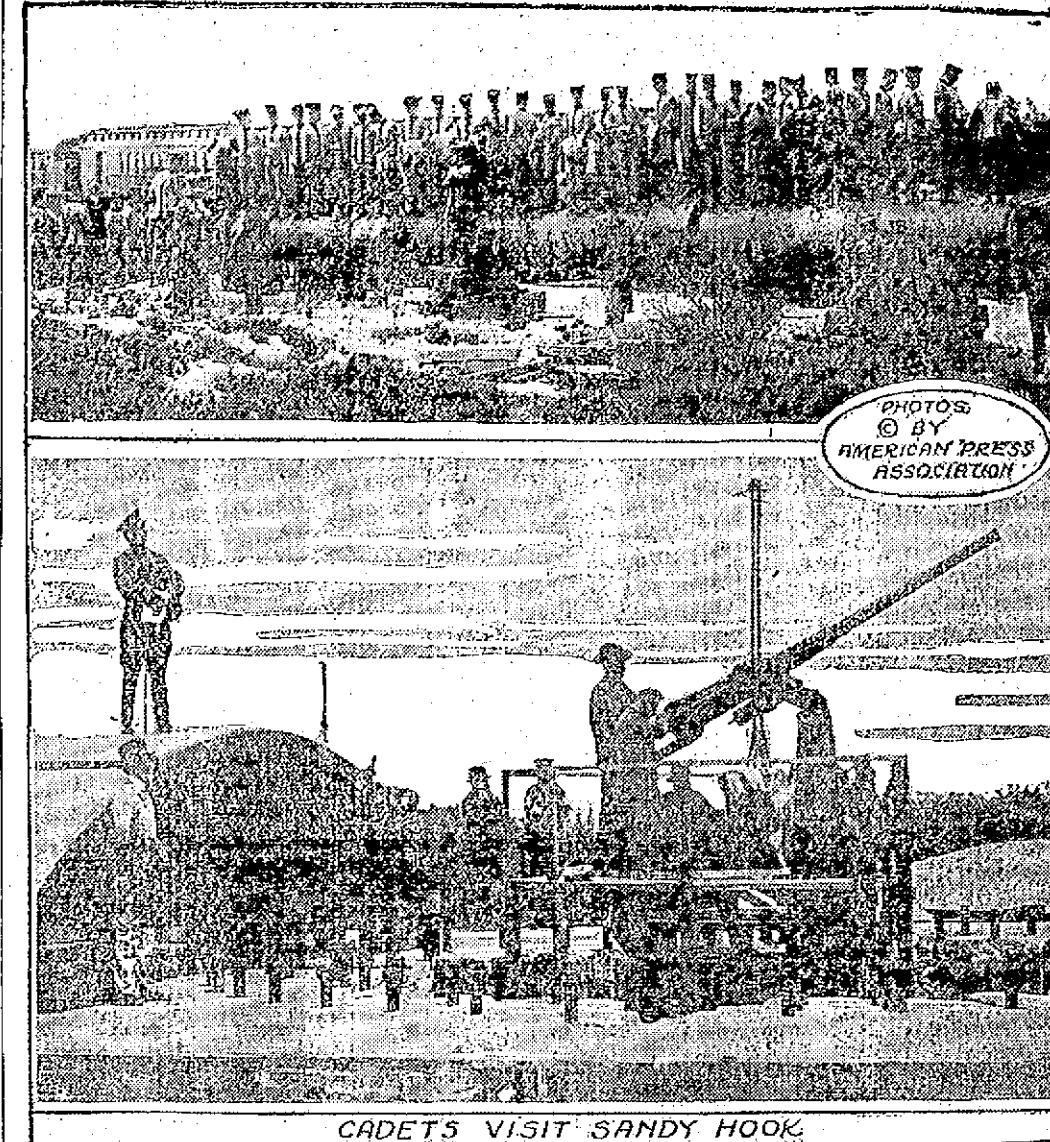
## NATIONAL GUARDSMEN PRACTICE WITH MOTORCYCLES AND MOTORCAR GUNS



NEW YORK NATIONAL GUARD USES MOTORCYCLE AND ARMORED MOTOR CAR

To show that the national guard of the state of New York is profiting by the lessons of the European war and the expedition into Mexico, the men are practicing with motorcycles and armored motor batteries. One of the accompanying pictures shows a car of the armored motor battery of the Twenty-second engineers, national guard of New York, photographed at recent maneuvers in Cortlandt park, New York City; the other shows militiamen working with the motorcycle and the passenger carrying attachment.

## FUTURE GENERALS PAY VISIT TO 16-INCH AND TINY ANTI-AIR CRAFT GUNS



CADETS VISIT SANDY HOOK

The West Point graduating class, 125 cadets, visited the Sandy Hook proving grounds to be initiated into the mysteries of the government's artillery from the sixteen inch rifle, the mightiest weapon in the world, throwing a 2400 pound projectile twenty-two miles, to the tiny rapid fire anti-air craft gun, with its bark like that of an angry Skye terrier, shot a vicious little one pound bursting shell some two miles into the air. The little gun and a line of the cadets on the monster weapon are pictured here. Ordnance experts say the new sixteen inch gun, soon to be finished, will outstrip the present rifle, but the American 1883 model will outdistance the ordinance of any ship in any navy in the world. A comparison of this gun with the forty-two centimeter howitzer of Germany shows that the American weapon shoots a shell one and one-half times as large more than twice as far as the German piece. The rifle, which is destined for the Panama canal zone, is mounted on a dismounting carriage, a new design, details of which are held secret. When the cadets visited Sandy Hook the monster was fired for the fourth time. The carriage was kept from operating to the full extent lest some mischance happen. It costs nearly \$200 to shoot a sixteen inch gun with a low charge. In war the cost is \$100 more.

of a memorial hall. They may spend \$25,000.

The members of the commission are to serve without compensation and report to the legislature by the first Wednesday in January.

## WITH THE U.S. MARINES

### LOWELL BOY ON CRUISE OF FOREIGN DUTY—NOW IN THE PHILIPPINES

With the detachment of United States Marines serving at our naval station in Cavite, Philippine Islands, life.

The investigation of the New Eng-

and Telephone and Telegraph company will be referred to the next general court in accordance with the report to this effect by the committee on mercantile affairs, accepted yesterday by the state senate. The house accepted the report on Wednesday.

Consideration of the petition of the South Boston Trade association for a similar investigation was postponed until next Tuesday.

The senate refused to admit, for consider the bill for extra pension in connection with the retirement of J. Warren Bailey, secretary of the prison commission.

Without debate the senate accepted the report "next general court" of the public lighting committee on the recommendation of the gas and electric commission that the sliding scale system of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company be abolished, unless the company divorce itself from the Massachusetts Gas companies.

For Pilgrim Tercentenary

The ways and means committee of the house yesterday reported a re-

solve for the appointment of a Pil-

grim tercentenary commission in cele-

bration of the 300th anniversary of

the landing of the Pilgrims. Under

the provisions of the resolve the com-

mission is to consist of five persons

to be appointed by the governor, with

the advice and consent of the execu-

tive council.

The commission is to consider plans,

permanent improvement and preser-

vation of historical localities, the hold-

ing of a pageant and the construction

of a memorial hall. They may spend

\$25,000.

The members of the commission are

to serve without compensation and

report to the legislature by the first

Wednesday in January.

is Robert B. Dykes, of this city.

Robert, who is a brother of Miss

Elizabeth Dykes, 31 Eighteenth street,

Lowell, enlisted in the United States

Marine Corps at its Portland, Ore., re-

crating station on October 7, 1914.

Marines wear a distinctively military

uniform and their service embodies

expeditionary, sea, foreign shore and

home duty.

Foreign service ranks easily first in

the hearts of these "soldiers of the

sea" and it is very likely that Corporal

Dykes' tour of tropical duty will be

crowded with excitement and adven-

ture, and that he will have many inter-

esting narratives to recount to his

friends when he returns again to civil

life.

## DECLINES AT OUTSET

### NOTE FEATURE OF OPENING—RECOVERIES LATER AND CLOSING WAS STRONG

NEW YORK, May 5.—The German note was the overshadowing feature at the opening of today's market, stocks manifesting acute weakness on heavy liquidation. Initial declines ran from 2 to 6 points in the better known specialties, including war issues and various industrial equipments while Bethlehem Steel fell 15 points. A very considerable part of the selling originated from interior sources, commission houses with connections in the middle west being among the most active participants in the liquidating movement. Rats showed more resistance to the declining tendency than any other part of the list, but even there losses of point or more were registered. Recoveries of substantial proportions were shown by some of the favorite stocks before the end of the first half hour.

Additional recoveries were made in the course of the next hour, supporting orders being most effective in the prominent issues, some of which made up almost all their loss while Reading, American Smelting, United Fruit and some of the obscure stocks showed actual gains. Dealings fell away on the rebound, however, and at mid-day signs of fresh weakness were seen.

Traders were disposed to adopt a waiting attitude until conditions arising from the international situation assumed more definite form, but the many conflicting opinions respecting the German note gave courage to the short interest which became more aggressive. Bonds were irregular.

Improvement became more marked

in the early afternoon, standard shares soon reaching the level where little remained of the early break. In fact the general average was slightly over yesterday's closing price.

Prices were highest and the market broadest in the final hour, shipping shares, especially United Fruit, being the main features. The closing was strong.

### COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 5.—Cotton futures opened easy, May 12.37; July 12.40; October 12.50; December 12.65; January 12.74.

Futures closed steady, May 12.42;

July 12.52; October 12.55; December 12.53; January 12.60. Spot steady;

midday 12.50.

### BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, May 5.—Copper shares

sailed during the hours immediately

following receipt of the German note

today, losses varied from fractions to

two points, but were general through-

out the list.

### EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, May 5.—Exchanges,

\$50,636,150; balances, \$20,135,374.

8

### CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO, May 5.—Copper

shares were generally lower

throughout the day, but the

market was steady.

Lead was firm, zinc steady, tin

firm, copper steady, silver steady.

Gold was firm, silver steady.

Aluminum was firm, tin steady.

Iron and steel were steady.

Steel products were steady.

Coal was firm, coke steady.

Gasoline was firm, kerosene steady.

## THEY DO SAY

That Cupid is getting ready for next month.

That the speech makers are not all hustlers.

That it is safe to put away the snow shovel.

That a word to the wise is sometimes too much.

That Dave Dwyer was busy shaking hands yesterday.

That The Sun's score board is again attracting attention.

That the camping bug now has a hold on many people.

That Omer J. is a genial janitor and also a first class chef.

That the telephone dances are popular with the boys.

That the English sparrows are jealous of Nellie's babies.

That the street lighting hearing may prove interesting.

That people will soon be saying, "Is it hot enough for you?"

That this was clean-up week; what part did you take in it?

That the civil session of the superior court is nearing its end.

That George Bean says his motto is to be with the winner.

That the Emerson players leave many friends in Lowell.

That the time to be up and doing is early in the morning.

That a traffic officer's post is no place for a nervous man.

That the best remedy for that tired feeling is to keep on plugging.

That the girls were all sorry to hear Lena was going to leave.

That when Bobbie asked for a \$1, ma looked like this? ? ! ! etc.

That the election of George E. Putnam was somewhat of a surprise.

That Fred McSorley is one of the city's most competent chauffeurs.

That Dan and Joe were bashful about that introduction the other night.

That there is a gratifying absence of grass and brush fires this year.

That when it comes to marrying, men display a lot more taste than women.

That the Illyrian Hussars in and out of Lowell are increasing in number.

That the mayor's private secretary hears many a poor fellow's troubles.

That Alice did not like the way the lobster salad was served in Lawrence.

That there are Mayflowers near Lowell for those who know Nature's secrets.

That Owen Monahan says the best place for a boll is on the other fellow.

That the view from the tenth floor is becoming more charming every day.

That nothing looks prettier to the marks than some toddling kiddies playing.

That some call firemen are still hoping to be appointed to the permanent force.

That Lowell's patent medicines have advertised this city throughout the world.

That good singers are usually bashful but people who can't sing can't be stopped.

That if two of Lowell's steam fire engines are useless in case of a serious fire, now is the time to have them repaired.

That local fishermen are getting their lines and other fishing paraphernalia in condition.

That the swimming pool will soon be the place de resistance for the small boy.

That this is the season when we all talk about cars and one or two of us buys them.

That the Lowell baseball team will be given a fine reception on its return home.

That it's something to receive honorable mention even though you're not elected.

That there will be great activity in the vicinity of Pawtucket falls in a few weeks.

That the motor cyclists are becoming a greater menace to life and limb than the autoists.

That the war has got on the nerves of the world and people even hate to talk about it.

That the Saunders market clerks enjoyed their theatre party Wednesday evening.

That the neighboring constables had better keep an eye to the camps early in the season.

That everything comes to him who waits. The good old summer time, for instance.

That Manager Moore was pleased with the interest taken in the six day skating race.

That the new telephone directory contains a big increase in the number of subscribers.

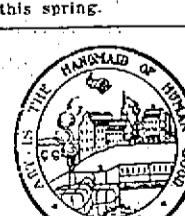
That Ireland is the richest country in the world because its capital is Dublin.

That many new automobiles are making their appearance on the street every day now.

That there will be some sports at the City Bowling league banquet, Tuesday evening.

That the masons will soon be laying a foundation for an education in Kirk and Anne streets.

That there is certainly a big increase in the building activities in Lowell this spring.



## NOTICE OF HEARINGS

The Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give hearings at their room, City Hall, Tuesday, May 23, 1916, at ten o'clock a. m. on the following petitions:

JAMES B. CASEY

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 603 Chelmsford street.

GEORGE GANDETTE

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 34 South Loring street.

By order of the Municipal Council,

STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk

May 6, 1916.

season with high class motion pictures. There is no question about the public liking the Keith theatre, for either vaudeville or moving pictures, and this fact has impelled the management to run a supplementary season this year. The bulk of the picture features will be Triangle and Keystone films. Further announcement will be made on this topic.

For the last week of vaudeville a wonderfully strong bill has been provided. It will be headed by Anna Chandler, one of the most successful of singing comedians. Miss Chandler is right in the same category with Belle Baker, and her work is along different lines. Miss Chandler recently scored tremendously at the Palace theatre, New York, and she also has the recommendation of many successful appearances before European audiences. She not only has the ability to make the most of her material, but is wonderfully fortunate, also, in having a splendid repertoire of songs, many of which are song exclusively by her.

On the vaudeville stage may be found everything from Shakespeare to the farce, and including minstrelsy. Add Roy, and his incomparables occupy a double little niche at their own in the black face art. Add is a comedian and a minstrel. He is responsible for the production, and he sits at one end of the semi-circle with the bones. The conventional minstrel routine will be followed out in this act. Tom Clifford, who is so well known here, will be the introducer, and John Forsman will be the tambour. The vocalists are: Lew Russell, first tenor; Leo Pelletier, second tenor; Henry Dwyer, baritone, and Hubert Clark, basso.

And now comes the third headliner, James Diamond and Sibyl Brennan, who will give their super musical sketch, "Ninny-nonsense." Miss Brennan was formerly prima donna with "In Panama" when that musical comedy served as a vehicle for Roger Brothman. "The Politician" is a sketch which Willis Wilson & Co. will present, and it is snappy, with good situations. Cahill, Clifton & Goss, two women and a man in a mixture of fun and music; Edna Gordon and Ida Day, in silent nonsense; and Tom Kuma, a performer on the flying rings, constitute the remainder of this big bill. Good seats for all performances may be obtained in advance. Phone 23.

That the reason girls look for four-leaved clover is because they are the only ones who can spare the time.

That the street railway is as sadly in need of new cars as some of the restaurants are of new coffee mugs.

That the Lowell fans are anxiously waiting for next Wednesday when the baseball season will open in this city.

That the "Sand Lot" column will soon be started for the benefit of the young amateur baseball players of the city.

That no man really laughs at a joke on himself, although he occasionally gives a fair imitation of himself.

That the 26th anniversary banquet of the Y.M.C.A. was one of the biggest events ever conducted at the institute.

That the townsmen opposed to annexing Dracut to Lowell may see the light when the 1916 Dracut tax rate is announced.

That the Pawtucketville and Centralville Improvement associations are uniting for the welfare of their respective districts.

That every cloud, etc.; those who have been looking up every night for Zeppelins have discovered new glories in the heavens.

That Miss Nash has made an energetic and successful president of the Nurses' Alumnae association of St. John's hospital.

That the banquet to be conducted by the overseers of the U. S. Cartidge Co. tonight promises to be an enjoyable affair.

That the one worker in the grounds of the Immaculate Conception church could give some valuable tips to the park department.

That Ireland suffered a thousand times more than England from the revolt organized to aid Germany in striking England.

That some unknown person must have allowed the Boston & Maine extension of time on the Chelmsford bridge job.

That the iron girders of the old Pawtucket bridge will prove valuable if utilized in the construction of a bridge over Beaver brook.

That there is no stronger supporter of annexation in Lowell than the man who thinks of building a house and looks round for sites.

That the "cotton party" conducted by the Telephone Girls Thursday evening was one of the most delightful social events of the season.

That Phil Scannell was overheard remark the other night that dancing with "some people" is worse than engaging in a 10 round bout.

That the Lowell baseball team under the management of Harry Lord is performing some excellent stunts. Keep up the good work boys.

That the change in mind of many a wife saves her husband from going to the house of correction when he is brought before the local court.

That the license commission ought not to be censured for refusing to grant that extra license. One less would be preferable to one more.

That the proposed site of the new high school in Kirk and Anne streets looks as though it had been struck by a cyclone or shelled by the Germans.

That thanks to "Charlie" Moody street is now in a very good condition.

The residents of the district hope the present condition will everlasting prevail.

That within one week we had snow and rain storms, raw weather, red hot weather and thunder and lightning. Can you beat New England weather?

That Clerk John J. Flaherty of the license commission and his assistant, Michael O'Brien, were kept busy during the latter part of this week issuing hundreds of minor licenses.

That the reckless work of some of those window cleaners who use extension ladders makes some people nervous. The window cleaners who shine the glass in the Sun building are well protected, however.

That many a local bowler who competed in the bowling tournament in Lynn saw his chance of prize money shattered when Paul Poehler smashed the record for singles and he and his partner did a similar job on doubles.

That there is certainly a big increase in the building activities in Lowell this spring.

That the war has got on the nerves of the world and people even hate to talk about it.

That the Saunders market clerks enjoyed their theatre party Wednesday evening.

That the neighboring constables had better keep an eye to the camps early in the season.

That everything comes to him who waits. The good old summer time, for instance.

That Manager Moore was pleased with the interest taken in the six day skating race.

That the new telephone directory contains a big increase in the number of subscribers.

That Ireland is the richest country in the world because its capital is Dublin.

That many new automobiles are making their appearance on the street every day now.

That there will be some sports at the City Bowling league banquet, Tuesday evening.

That the masons will soon be laying a foundation for an education in Kirk and Anne streets.

That there is certainly a big increase in the building activities in Lowell this spring.

**SITUATIONS WANTED**

HOUSEKEEPER would like general housework for one or two persons; Protestants only. Write G13, Sun Office.

POSITION as clerk wanted by young married man, who can speak Portuguese, French and a little French. Good references. Bernard Fragose, 616 Market st.

CLAIRVOYANT

MDE. KATHERINE, last week, Bon Marche.

MADAM ADELLA, clairvoyant and card reader. If in doubt, need help or advice, call 42 Branch st.

AUTO SERVICE

AUTOMOBILE LIVERY—New 7-passenger Studebaker cars for beach and country parties by day or hour. Reasonable rates. Weddings, christenings and all occasions. Careful drivers. J. R. Forbays, 38 Corbett st. Tel. 197-J.

2 UP-TO-DATE FLATS TO LET

456 MERRIMACK ST.

with electricity, gas, bath, hot and cold water and all modern conveniences; brand new location; finest apartments in town. Apply at

GEO. HUSSON ROYAL THEATRE.

448 Merrimack St. Tel. 1509 or 1895-W.

RENT FOR SALE

STUDIO, 10x12, for sale, doing good business, low rent, good location. Fully equipped. \$275 per month. For particular call at 200 Lowell Street, opposite city hall.

ELEVATOR for sale, capacity 1 ton; 1 American fireproof steel; also 1 electric motor, ½ h. p. Call at J. F. Kelly, 24 Maiden Lane.

MADE FOR SALE—1 handsome dappled gray mare, sound, kind and clever, 1160 six years, also one delivery wagon. For further particulars apply to 17 McKinley avenue, phone 3755-W.

STUTZ ROADSTER for sale; 1913 six cylinder; in good condition; shock absorbers, electric lights, 41s Andrew st., Lawrence, Mass.

LAND—Rare bargains for cash: lots Nos. 75 and 76 Upham st., Lowell. Mass.; water and sewers; all clear. Property owner, James A. Walker, 1227 Warren ave., Detroit, Mich.

PIANOS—Extra good bargains in pianos and player pianos. Music rolls at Housells, 704 Bridge st.

FOR SALE

SIX rooms high class furniture, including a piano, must be sold by

May 15. For further particulars inquire at 86 Gates St. or telephone 2986-J.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

7 ROOM COTTAGE for sale, barn, hen house for 300 hens, 6000 sq. ft. land, fruit trees, grapes, 15,600 sq. ft. of land can be used for taxes. Price \$2000. Easy terms. See Vance

at 186 Gates St. or 86 Gates St., Lowell, Mass.

CLOTHES and fancy slippers wanted. Apply Adams Bros., Lincoln and Tan streets.

FAIR HANDS wanted by month or day or week. Pikes' Farm, Wamesit, 2427-R.

WOMEN WANTED—Government jobs, \$75 to \$150 month. Write immediately for list positions now obtainable. Franklin Institute, Dept. 167 O. Rochester, N. Y.

The Sun goes into nearly every home in Lowell and vicinity. Merchants know that Sun readers respond to their advertisements.

ESTABLISHED 1878

# THE LOWELL SUN

LOWELL MASS. SATURDAY MAY 6 1916

The Sun prints the news of the world when it is news and only such news as is fit to print. It is a clean family newspaper.

PRICE ONE CENT

## TRIBUTE TO UNCLE JOE CANNON



Former Speaker Will Observe 80th Birthday Anniversary Tomorrow

Party Lines Disappeared and All Members of House Honor Veteran

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Party lines disappeared and old scores were forgotten by the house today when, during the first hour of its regular session, it joined in paying tribute to Representative Cannon of Illinois, the former speaker, who will be 80 years old tomorrow. Never before in the history of the house had an hour of the working session been set aside to honor a living member.

One of the original progressives, Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, presided during the greater part of the ceremonies. One of the original revolters against the so-called "Cannon rule" for years he fought the then speaker, but today presided as a friend.

### Speaker Clark Speaks

Speaker Clark in a humorous and friendly speech termed Mr. Cannon one of the "luncheon class of mental pugilists." He also wrote into the record for posterity the statement that once, during debate, with his own eyes he saw Mr. Cannon perform the unusual feat of describing a complete circle on one heel.

"Mr. Speaker Cannon owes it to himself and to his countrymen to write a book of reminiscences," Speaker Clark said. "Job's vengeful declaration: 'Oh, that mine adversary had written a book,' to the contrary notwithstanding. Evidently the Man of Oz did not have in his mind's eye Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson when he gave voice to that far-reaching and malicious desire."

### Cannon Expresses Appreciation

Still carrying himself as straight as an Indian and ruddy-cheeked as a school girl, Mr. Cannon marched down the centre aisle of the house and delivered an address of appreciation filled with reminiscences of other days. It brought back the shadows of Blaine, Randall, Ben Butler, George F. Hoar, "Sunset" Cox, "Pig Iron" Kelly, and a score of other contemporaries of Mr. Cannon to the halls where once they served. Mr. Cannon was quick

## BABY WEEK IN NEW YORK

### CLINICS FOR RELIEF OF CRIPPLED CHILDREN—BABY SUNDAY TOMORROW

NORTH ADAMS, May 6.—Courtland A. Ryan of Worcester is dead and Frederick A. Eaton is in the North Adams hospital terribly burned as the result of coming in contact with the high tension wire carrying 11,000 volts in the No. 5 power plant of the Conneaut Power company at Hoosan tunnel yesterday afternoon.

Ryan's body formed a short circuit, blowing out fuses and causing a complete trip in Berkshire county and Eastern New York of all the trolley lines and the electric zone of the Boston & Maine R. R. here.

How the accident occurred is not known. The men were engaged in testing meters near the high tension wires, and when the power suddenly went off, other workmen rushed in and found the two men unconscious on the floor. They were hurried to the North Adams hospital, where Ryan soon died.

Ryan's body will be shipped to Worcester for burial. He leaves his parents, wife and one child.

### REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending May 6, 1916

April 26—Charlotte Newton, 61, carcinoma.

27—Charles Favro, 2, gen. lob.

28—John W. Kays, 76, accident.

29—Alice Murphy, 52, arterio sclerosis.

30—Helena Pearson, 18, ch. disease of heart.

31—Stanislaw L. Lis, 1 m., inanition.

Demetrios Haidoutis, 3 m., broncho-pneumonia.

Mary L. Nastie, 3 d., malformation of heart.

Joseph L. Hachez, 2 d., prem. birth.

Margaret Glynn, 48, disease of heart.

Mary A. Yates, 2 m., ileo colitis.

Evelyn H. Keyes, 76, accident.

Alma Murphy, 52, arterio sclerosis.

32—John J. Murphy, 18, ch. disease of heart.

33—James B. Hoare, 81, paralysis agitans.

Earl B. Taylor, 43, disease of heart.

Joseph F. Slater, 82, endocarditis.

Annie McGuire, 57, lob. pneumonia.

May 1—Margaret A. Quigley, 70, car. hemorrhage.

Mary Morrell, 1 h., atelectasis.

George Kane, 32, cardio-renal disease.

Bridget Forbes, 74, arterio sclerosis.

Elizabeth M. Clark, 77, cancer.

2—Alice Vezina, 1, ac. bronchitis.

Blanche Saleskowsky, 7, peritonitis.

Catherine T. Pollard, 6, bronchopneumonia.

Maria L. Irsiou, 19, retro phar. abscess.

Fotes Alix, 1, diphtheria.

3—Denitro A. Agane, 1, diphtheria.

Bridget Rogers, 70, cardio-renal disease.

Mary T. O'Neill, 48, cer. hemorrhage.

4—Maria Gorela, 5, phthisis pulm.

William Lamoreux, 1, status lymphaticus.

Albert Chenev, 17 d., con. debility.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

500 PERSONS IN PAGEANT

Centenary Celebration of the Founding of the American Bible Society

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Five hundred persons participated today in a pageant held here in connection with the centenary celebration of the founding of the American Bible Society. President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Speaker Clark and Senators Cumming of Iowa and Jones of Washington, are on the program for address tomorrow.

## FOUGHT TWO U-BOATS BELIEVED TO HAVE SUNK ONE SUBMARINE

LONDON, May 6.—The British liner Clan McFadyen has arrived in Gravesend from Africa somewhat damaged by the gunfire of two German submarines. The steamer returned the fire and it was believed on board that one of the submarines was destroyed.

The steamer reports that the first attack on her was made in the Bay of Biscay, when a submarine fired 60 shots at her. The steamer immediately brought her big gun into action and hit the submarine several times, and it is believed, destroyed it.

Three hours later another submarine fired a torpedo, but missed the Clan McFadyen by a few feet.

The French bark Le Piller has been sunk. The Le Piller was of 2427 tons gross and was built at St. Nazaire in 1902. She was owned in Nantes.

## HER ANNUAL RECEPTION

### HIGH SCHOOL AND CHILDREN'S CLASSES OF MISS L. B. PERIN PARTICIPATED IN PRETTY EVENT

Featured by pretty fancy dances by clever and graceful pupils, the annual reception and ball given last evening in Highland club hall by Miss L. B. Perrin to her children's and high school classes was one of the prettiest and most delightful events of the season. The hall was handsomely decorated with streamers of varicolored bunting running from the sides of the ball room to the centre, forming a beautiful canopy. Potted plants, palms and flowers were placed along the front of the stage, almost hiding from view, Hubbard's orchestra, which furnished music.

Marches by the high school and children's classes were very pretty and drew considerable applause from the spectators. The children's grand march was led by Master Donald Shanahan and Miss Gladys Murphy and Mr. J. Connolly and Miss Mabel Maguire led the high school march. The fancy dances by individual pupils and groups were most pleasing and reflected much credit on the teaching of Miss Perrin. The program included the following: "Fairy queen," Miss Helen Shea, "Moonebeam," Miss Kathleen Murphy, "Butterfly," Miss Natalie Clark, "May flowers," Misses Louise Normandy, Loretta Heffernan, Helen Kelley, Mildred Aldrich, Edna Laurin, Anna Robinson, Mary Bratton, Louise Adams, Hazel Frazer, Helen Doran, Edith Donohue and May Keele. Dances, Misses Madeline Day, Bertha Barber, Mildred Durant, Louise Normandy and Mary Boulter. Poppy, Misses Clare Molloy, Esther Lissner, Hilda Houghton, Catherine Hogan, Hazel Barrett, Eleanor Longner, Catherine Ready, Anna Doran, Alice Dempsey, Catherine Harrigan and Hazel Fraser.

Rep. Rosenberg's Tribute

Representative Rosenberg of Illinois referred to the courage of Mr. Cannon in the stormy days when he was speaker.

"It is but human to err," he said, "and Uncle Joe has at all times been intensely human; but no man living or dead, ever saw him lower his colors or hoist the white flag of surrender."

Mr. Cannon now is closing his 20th term in congress. He came here during the 43 congress and since that time has been defeated twice, once in 1892 and again in 1912. Only one other man who served in the 43 congress, Gen. Isaac Sherwood of Ohio, is in the present congress. His term of service has been much shorter than that of Mr. Cannon, however. Despite his years, Mr. Cannon still takes an active part in debate and smokes as many cigars as ever.

Memorial to Ericson

Representative Sladey, chairman of the committee having under consideration the bill for the erection of a memorial in Washington to the memory of John Ericson, the noted Swedish engineer and inventor, stated to The Sun correspondent yesterday that no report could be made by the committee until the fine arts commission of the District of Columbia had been heard from. That commission would be called upon to approve any memorial that might be recommended, so far as its artistic merit was concerned, and the committee had decided to withhold action until such time as the commission can be consulted. Sladey made no comments regarding the outlook for a favorable report, but the fact that the bill has not been unfavorably reported and that the commission is to be consulted, leads the friends of the measure to hope the memorial will get a committee recommendation.

Women and Girls in Camp

The 200 women and girls in the preparedness camp in the suburbs of Washington are taking the drills and back-to-nature sort of living very seriously. They all wear the regulation khaki uniform, but they say one old officer, while making inspection, chuckled like a school girl when he spied peeping out beneath the "soldier-girls' bunk, a sort of fluffy-ruffles kimono of pink and swansdown, and some gold slippers. Perhaps one of the greatest hardships for the girls is getting up at 6:30 and having only 15 minutes in which to dress, five girls using one small wall mirror. One of the few men on the grounds is the bugler who sounds the early morning call. Godot the girls evened up, by taking him for their "subject" while they experimented on first aid work. They bound him up tight, put on bandages and gave him a taste of military service that fails to the lot of but few men.

Misses Elizabeth Foye, Dorothy LaVelle and Alice Dempsey interpreted the dance of the heralds. In the Wall ball Misses Greta Pickering, Esther Kilroy, Mildred Bourdreau, Helen Norman, Muriel Rodger and Dorothy McDermott took part.

Other numbers included: Solo dance, Misses Harriette Castle and Dorothy McDermott; Russian dance, Miss Esther Kilroy; "The Spirit of the Sea," Miss Greta Pickering; exhibition walk, Misses Madeline Warren, Mabel Maguire and Mae Dunn and Misses W. E. McElroy, J. Connolly and R. E. Coddell. The whole program was presented with skill and precision and Miss Perrin was heartily congratulated.

The matrons were: Mrs. J. H. Murphy, Mrs. D. W. Shanahan, Mrs. E. H. Foye, Mrs. J. M. Murphy, Mrs. M. S. Clark, Mrs. M. McElroy. The ushers were: J. Connolly, R. E. Coddell, W. C. McElroy, V. C. Ready, T. T. Callahan and L. H. Condon.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



Leading Resort House of the World.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.

The month of May after the Easter rush is most attractive.

OWNERSHIP MANAGEMENT JOSIAH WHITE & SONS COMPANY.

## "SUGARING OFF"

### Senator Page Gave Old

### Fashioned Luncheon in Senate Dining Room

Special to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 6.—If you don't believe a genuine Vermont "sugaring off" can happen right here in Washington, ask any one of the four score or more staid and dignified senators who went to Senator Page's maple sugar party a few days ago, where they had more fun than since they were boys with good things to eat that came straight down from the Green hills of Vermont. The private dining room of the senate had been turned over to the exclusive use of Senator Page that day and he gave an old-fashioned luncheon followed by a sugaring off that was a credit to New England. It wasn't any make believe affair, but the real thing, with doughnuts like mother used to make, both sweet and "rly"—and gallons and gallons of the best maple syrup that Vermont can produce. Senator Page was master of ceremonies. "This was he that initiated the senators from the south and west into the fine art of dipping a doughnut into the syrup, then sop it round and round, and eat it quick—and follow it by a pickle, to make you want more sweet—and so on ad infinitum. And while the senators were "sugaring" many times, Gov. Page was still pouring dabs of syrup on snow fine ice, where it candied and that's where the "sugaring off" came in. In a jiffy every senator in the room had armed himself with a fork and was savoring for the best and biggest chunks of maple candy in sight, and stood with unaccustomed sweetness dripping from his lips. No less than five announced presidential candidates were in the party—Weeks, Borah, Cummings, LaFollette, Sherman, also Senator Harding, who will preside as temporary chairman at the republican national convention and Senator Lodge who is likely to be its permanent chairman. These men may be president, may be near-presidents, or the makers of presidents, but in my mind's eye I shall always see them standing 'round that table savoring maple sugar lollipops with a fork, talking, laughing and spinning yarns or what they did when they were little chaps growing up in some faraway village, with never a thought of coming senatorial dignity or presidential honors entering their little towheads.

Memorial to Ericson

Representative Sladey, chairman of the committee having under consideration the bill for the erection of a memorial in Washington to the memory of John Ericson, the noted Swedish engineer and inventor, stated to The Sun correspondent yesterday that no report could be made by the committee until the fine arts commission of the District of Columbia had been heard from. That commission would be called upon to approve any memorial that might be recommended, so far as its artistic merit was concerned, and the committee had decided to withhold action until such time as the commission can be consulted. Sladey made no comments regarding the outlook for a favorable report, but the fact that the bill has not been unfavorably reported and that the commission is to be consulted, leads the friends of the measure to hope the memorial will get a committee recommendation.

Women and Girls in Camp

The 200 women and girls in the preparedness camp in the suburbs of Washington are taking the drills and back-to-nature sort of living very seriously. They all wear the regulation khaki uniform, but they say one old officer, while making inspection, chuckled like a school girl when he spied peeping out beneath the "soldier-girls' bunk, a sort of fluffy-ruffles kimono of pink and swansdown, and some gold slippers. Perhaps one of the greatest hardships for the girls is getting up at 6:30 and having only 15 minutes in which to dress, five girls using one small wall mirror. One of the few men on the grounds is the bugler who sounds the early morning call. Godot the girls evened up, by taking him for their "subject" while they experimented on first aid work. They bound him up tight, put on bandages and gave him a taste of military service that fails to the lot of but few men.

The Drs. Staff Bill

The Massachusetts democrats on the congressional delegation have agreed to put Representative Gallivan of Boston on the congressional committee as Massachusetts members.

The ways and means committee will introduce in a few days, through the chairman Claud Kitchin, the dye stuff bill which they will substitute for the Hill bill. The committee bill is framed along democratic lines, inasmuch as it cuts down by fully one-half the duty proposed in the Hill bill.

The Brandies Matter

It looks now as though the Brandies nomination is to find pretty hard sledding, both in committee and when a vote is taken by the senate. The republicans are trying to force a vote, and the democrats holding back, in order to put in more work towards getting a favorable vote on party lines. The outcome is still very doubtful, and as one senator expressed it, "No one would want to bet anything better than Mexican money on the result." But the investigation will leave some pretty deep scars on the Brandies candidacy, even if he wins out when the ballot is taken.

RICHARDS.

Special to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The river and harbor bill agreed to by senate committee on commerce and to be reported this week retains the items of \$10,000 maintenance Merrimack river and \$20,000 maintenance Newburyport harbor.

RICHARDS.

At the time the pier was leased to the Hamburg-American line, the Boston & Maine signed a contract with the state that its rates to and from the pier should be the same as the flat Boston rate.

Later the road filed new schedules with the Interstate commerce commission and the Massachusetts public service commission.

## HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

### LOWELL WON IN DEBATE WITH

### GIRLS OF LEXINGTON HIGH

Fair tonight and Sunday; moderate west to southwest winds.

ESTABLISHED 1878

# THE LOWELL SUN

7  
O'CLOCK

LOWELL, MASS. SATURDAY MAY 6 1916

PRICE ONE CENT

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL SELECTS BRIDGE PLAN

Things Now Under Way for New Pawtucket Bridge — National Engineering Co.'s Plan Selected

The municipal council took one big step forward in the Pawtucket bridge matter today by voting its selection of a plan for the bridge. The action was taken at a special meeting called by the mayor for the purpose of hastening matters in connection with the proposed bridge. The mayor said the bridge matter had been hanging fire long enough and that it was about time to do something definite. There was a boulder or two

*Continued to page four*

## ANOTHER REBEL SHOT

Maj. McBride, Eighth Leader of Irish Revolt to Suffer Death—Others Given Life Sentences

DUBLIN, May 5, via London, May 6.—It was officially announced today that Maj. John McBride, the eighth leader of the Sinn Féin rebellion to suffer death by sentence of court-martial had been shot.

Thomas Hunter and William Cosgrave, who were sentenced to death with Major McBride had their sentences commuted to life imprisonment.

Major John McBride fought throughout the Boer war with the Irish brigade under Gen. Joubert. When the Boers finally surrendered he made his escape and took refuge in Paris, where he later married Miss Maud Gonne, known in home circles in Ireland as "The Irish Joan d'Arc." In 1905 Major and Mrs. McBride delivered a series of lectures in the United States on Irish politics. On their return to Paris Mrs. McBride sued for divorce and was granted a legal separation. McBride maintained his interest in Irish political affairs and was always identified with the extreme, or separatist faction of the nationalist party.

### TO RELEASE SULLIVAN

Former American Minister Has Been Imprisoned in Dublin Castle For Several Days

DUBLIN, May 6, via London.—James M. Sullivan, former American minister to the Dominican republic, who has been imprisoned in Dublin castle for

**FARRELL & CONANT**  
PLUMBERS STEAM, GAS AND  
WATER FITTERS  
142 Dutton Street. Tel. 1513

## NOTICE

For the convenience of those employees who are not at work, or who have left the employ of the U. S. Cartridge Co. and have wages due them, the payroll department will be opened according to the following schedule:

Monday— 10 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 4 p.m.  
Tuesday— 10 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 4 p.m.  
Wednesday— 10 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 4 p.m.  
Thursday— 10 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 4 p.m.  
Friday— 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.  
H. L. BISHOP,  
U. S. Cartridge Co.  
Paymaster.

### INTEREST BEGINS

Today

The Central Savings Bank  
58 Central Street.

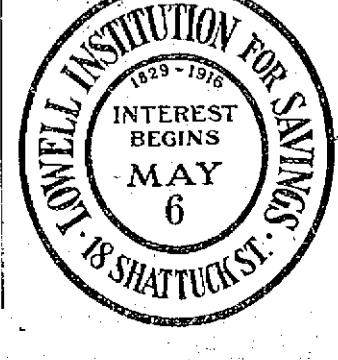
## HALIFOUX'S ON THE SQUARE

### "THE DIE IS CAST"

These were the words of Caesar, uttered as a declaration of war, when he plunged into the Rubicon on his notorious march to Rome. They are noble words, spoken by a noble man. So we plunged into the depths of business enterprise and competition and make the same declaration that Caesar did on that memorable day. As far as our dealings are concerned we will stand out against all others for honesty, capacity, ability, efficiency and courtesy—Mary A. Rogers, High School Commercial Dept.

Interest Begins  
**TODAY**

Make Your Deposit Before  
9 O'CLOCK Tonight.



## AMERICA HAS NEVER VIOLATED NEUTRALITY

Herr Harden, German Writer, Praises President Wilson "As a Man of High Moral and High Spiritual Character of Whom We Might Be Proud if He Were Ours" — Defends President's Stand in Submarine Issue

BERLIN, May 6.—After figuratively taking the public's breath away two weeks ago by a daring article captioned "If I were Wilson," Maximilian Harden today returns to an exhaustive defense of President Wilson, his policy and the entire American standard.

In a leader in the Zukunft entitled "The real Wilson," Herr Harden praises President Wilson "as a man of high moral and high spiritual character of whom we might be proud if he were ours." What the writer characterizes as "lazy ignorance" is represented as "chattering from the mantle of would-be patroism, which in reality has nothing in common with genuine patroism, when President Wilson is assailed as he frequently has been."

"Ninety-nine one hundredths of all the so-called war literature," Herr Harden continues, "should be sent where it belongs—to the paper mills."

and the public should return to books from which a wide-awake spirit speaks including President Wilson's "new freedom." Then, perhaps, pure common-sense will return to you and awaken you to the duty of respecting the dignity of foreign peoples."

Herr Harden follows with a brief character sketch of President Wilson, in which he calls the president, a "brave opponent of evil and abuses" and alludes to him as "actuated by a love for his people and possessed of the will to lead them to the heights of his ideals after they had gotten into the swampland."

"Germany," he adds, "should be ashamed of people who slander him because they have read calumny in newspapers."

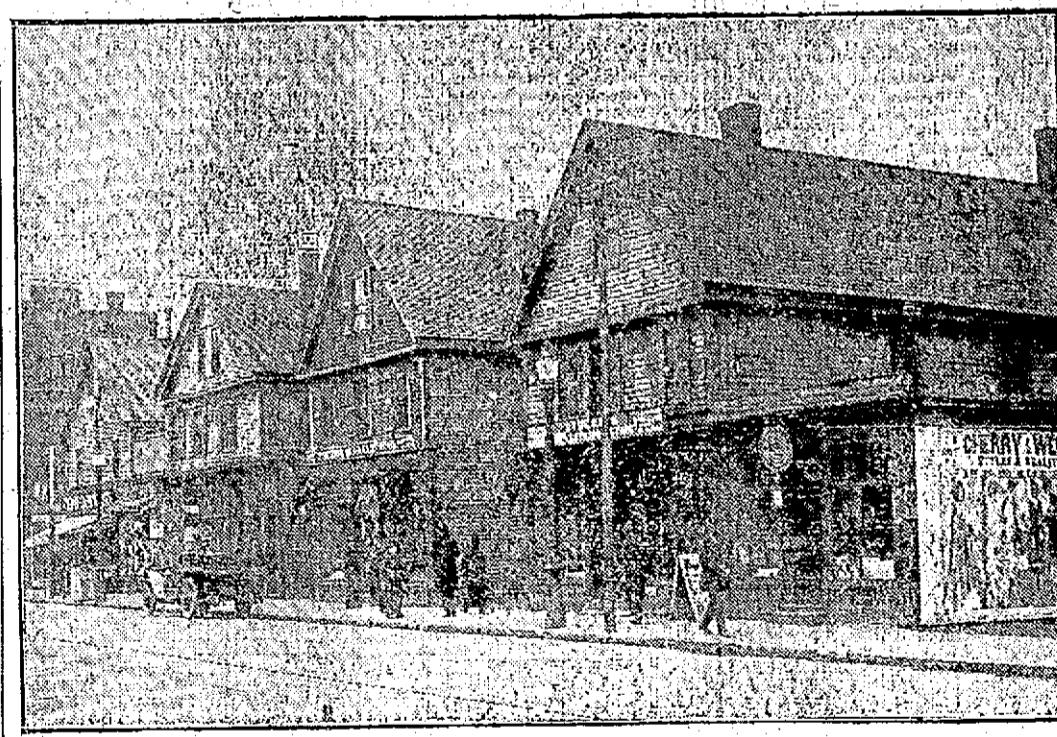
In all his controversies with Germany, says Herr Harden, President Wilson has acted from absolute conviction. "Dare we measure by the

standard of a student's squabble the complaints of a great, free nation, led by a man of the weight and importance of President Wilson?" asks the writer. "If President Wilson after a thorough investigation is convinced that warlike acts of Germany have broken the laws of humanity, it was not only his right but his duty to talk with clearness. He owes this not only as a duty to himself but to us."

Turning to the position of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg in the present controversy, Herr Harden says: "The daring of the chancellor must not approximate that of a submarine commander."

Herr Harden next turns his guns on Herr von Heydebrand, conservative leader in the Reichstag, because of his attack on America in connection with the Sussex note, characterizing the attack as "sorry abuse, in which there is not a glimmer of statesmanship." In

## TEN STORY FACTORY ON MIDDLESEX STREET



Board of Trade Completes Arrangements for New Fireproof Building by Burgess, Lang & Co.—To be Occupied by George H. Snow Co. and Other Industries—Stores on Ground Floor—Good Work of Sec'y Murphy

Middlesex street is to receive a tremendous boost this summer when a new 10 story, cement and steel, fireproof factory building with stores on the ground floor is to be built. Preliminary announcement of the deal was made last Saturday.

Secretary John H. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade has concluded the final details of the agreements in Boston and work on the new structure will commence as soon as the papers

are passed next week. The location is adjoining the storage warehouse and the building will be 50 feet deep, with a frontage of about 200 feet on Middlesex street and 100 feet on King street. The property to be superseded includes the present numbers 323 to 359 Middlesex street. The new structure will cost probably \$350,000.

Augustine X. Dooley of Lawrence

will assume the property to Burgess,

Lang & Co. of Boston, trustees for the

Lowell Building Trust, a newly organized company for this special purpose. The assessed value of the properties purchased is \$50,000. Burgess, Lang & Co. will build the Lowell storage warehouse and similar buildings in many New England cities such as Lynn, Haverhill, Worcester and Springfield.

The big factory building is to be built chiefly to care for the George H.

Continued to page four

## PRES. WILSON TAKES UP OFFICIAL TEXT OF NOTE

No Change in Document Indicates Probability That Break Has Been Averted

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The official text of Germany's note, fully decoded and laid before President Wilson today shows no material differences from the unofficial text published yesterday in news dispatches. This strengthens the probability that recent speeches of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg before the Reichstag were intended as notices to the world that Germany was ready for peace on certain terms.

The note says: "The German government, conscious of Germany's strength, twice within the last few months announced before the world its readiness to make peace on a basis safeguarding Germany's vital interests, thus indicating it is not Germany's fault if peace is still withheld from the nations of Europe."

There is a possibility that the United States may make a brief reply notifying the Berlin government that as long as the new orders to submarine commanders are fully observed diplomatic relations will not be discontinued on that score.

Secretary Lansing already has studied the note once and was going over it very carefully again today. There were indications that further consideration by the cabinet would not be necessary.

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, returned to the embassy today from New York. He said he had no communication from his government and had no reason to visit the state department in connection with the note unless he were instructed by his government to do so.

Several members of the cabinet have left Washington and are not expected back before Monday.

Continued to page two

## THE LUSITANIA DISASTER

### 17 MORE SUITS, MAKING 43, IN ALL AGAINST OWNERS OF LINER FILED

NEW YORK, May 6.—Seventeen more suits, making 43 in all, against the Cunard Steamship Line, were filed in the federal court today by relatives of persons who perished in the Lusitania disaster one year ago tomorrow. The amounts sought in the actions in which final papers have been entered total \$1,410,000. Among the suits filed today was that of A. Frohman for the loss of his brother, Charles. The amount claimed in this action was not mentioned, nor were the damages in the other 16 cases stated.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### NOTICE

The office and Appliance store of the Lowell Gas Light Co. will close MONDAY P. M. at 1 o'clock on account of the funeral of its late Treasurer George W. Brothers.

### Harvey's Restaurant 42 JOHN STREET

#### SUNDAY SPECIAL, 50¢

Oyster Cocktail SOUP

Tomato Bisque Consomme Julienne FISH

Baked Cod, Poached Shirley Style

Duchesse Potatoes ROAST

Young Veal with Giblet Sauce

Striplin of Beef au Jus ENTREES

Creamy Chicken en Casserole

Apple Fritters, Wine Sauce VEGETABLES

Boiled and Mashed Potatoes

Green Peas Nashed Turnip

DESSERT

Orange Pudding or Strawberry Ice Cream

Apple Pie Custard Pie Demi Tasse

Try our Special Planked Chicken or Steak.

## DEPOSIT NOW

### Money Goes On Interest May 13

### WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION

267 Central Street

Who  
Cleaned  
Up?

Whose house is the cleanest?

Who gathered the most dirt and dust from the house interior?

An easy guess—of course—Ask those who used the electric vacuum cleaner!

Lowell Electric Light Corp.

29-31 Market Street

Tel. S21.

# REVOLT IN SAN DOMINGO

Members of Haitian Senate Dispersed by Detachment Commanded by American Officer

**PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, May 6.**—Members of the Haitian senate, who persisted in holding a meeting in spite of the warning of Rear Admiral Caperton, in command of the American forces here, were dispersed today by a detachment of gendarmes commanded by an American officer. The senators protested but offered no resistance.

**TRROUBLE AT SAN DOMINGO**

**WASHINGTON, May 6.**—Rear Admiral Caperton, in charge of the American forces in San Domingo and Haiti today advised the navy department that the situation in San Domingo in the revolt against President Jimenez was grave. Admiral Caperton did not mention landing marines to guard the

American legation. Secretary Daniels said that Admiral Caperton had full authority to land marines or to take any other steps necessary to preserve order.

#### SEVERAL PERSONS KILLED

**SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic, May 6.**—Hostilities which broke out here yesterday, the outgrowth of the attempt to overthrow the administration of President Jimenez, resulted in several persons being killed or wounded yesterday.

Members of the diplomatic corps are endeavoring to effect an amicable solution of the troubles. The republic outside of Santo Domingo, remains quiet.

**MINOR LICENSES GRANTED**

**ROBERTS, 349 Middlesex street; Demetraopoulos & Papadimitrakopoulos, by Konstantinos Papadimitrakopoulos, 429 Market street; Hampartzou Kadian, 401 Central street.**

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE LICENSE BOARD HELD THIS MORNING**

"What did you say your name was?" asked Clerk John J. Flaherty of the license commission when he was confronted by a tall individual who was unmistakably of foreign extraction.

"Konstantinos Papadimitrakopoulos," was the answer.

"And what is it you want?"

The man said he wanted to secure a license as common victualler as he and his partner had a store at 429 Market street.

"What is your partner's name?" asked Mr. Flaherty.

"Demetraopoulos," giving the Christian name also.

"And the firm name?" asked the clerk.

"Demetraopoulos and Papadimitrakopoulos," was the answer.

"Good night," said "Harry" to himself as he brought forward an application blank. I wonder where he ever collected that jungle of letters from the alphabet. The license was granted to said firm but the clerk did not dare attempt to pronounce the name.

As is usual at this time of the year many applicants for minor licenses put in an appearance and several special sessions have been held. During the past week over two hundred licenses were granted but the applications came in so fast that it was necessary to hold a special session this morning at which the following licenses were granted:

To sell ice cream, etc.: Sarah L. Anderson, 1018 Gorham street; Helen Beatty, 117 Church street; Harry E. Bradley, 7 Thorndike street; John Bailey, 193 Chelmsford street; James J. Connor, 34 Adams street; Mary A. Callery, 9 Bourne street; C. Elizabeth A. Cunningham, 21 Marshall street; Helene Dumas, 18 Decatur street; Catherine Donahue, 146 Concord street; Mary Dorsey, 60 West Fourth street; Anne A. Fitzgerald, 33 Puffer street; Mary Green, 36 Bartlett street; Gordon Ross, 391 Gorham street; John S. Hayes Estate, 1328 Gorham street; Abram Jamal, 333 Broadway; Emanuel D. Kakner, 173 Central street; Peter L. Keyon, 18 Fremont street; Daimantes Kvarcos, 117 Adams street; Margaret Kelley, 355 Fletcher street; Eva Blaplane, 212 Cumberland road; Harry W. Leavitt, 1165 Lawrence street; George E. Movie, 28 Bridge street; Robert E. Meane, 424 Bridge street; William P. McLaughlin, 251 South street; William G. McGrath, 277 Hilditch street; Edward G. Peirce, 155 Powell street; Annie Reardon, 558 Roger street; Max Rindler, 45 Coburn street; Demetrios Sokorelos, 336 Market street; Rose Soivay, 725 Central street; Charles Sharp, 65 School street; James Tzatzopoulos, 420 Suffolk street; Rose Vordon, 377 Broadway; Margaret L. White, 7 Brooks street.

Intelligence office: Margaret O'Neill, 884 Gorham street.

Pawnbroker: J. Fulton Corbett, 25-29 John street.

Junk collector: Morris Goldman, 85 Railroad street; Henry Wilson, 25 Brooks street; Barney Fish, 25 Howard street; Israel Nantz, 123 Railroad street.

Billiards and pool: John J. Reilly, 29 Central street.

Bowling alleys: John J. Corcoran, 243 Aiken street.

Junk dealer: David Ziskind, 137 Cambridge street.

Common victualler: Vasilios Gavlis, 458 Market street; D. L. Page Co., 16-20 Merrimack street; Milton Restaurant Co., Middlesex and Gorham streets; Margaret

**FRENCH COMMENT ON NOTE**

**PARIS, May 6.**—The French press subjects the German note to the United States to severe analysis, drawing varying conclusions from it. Some newspapers consider that Germany has yielded, although with bad grace. Others believe the document is a tortuous refusal.

**COLONIAL DAMES OF AMERICA**

**WASHINGTON, May 5.**—Members of the national council, Colonial Dames of America, left for their scenes today after concluding their annual sessions here. Mrs. Joseph Barker Lamar of Georgia was elected president and Mrs. Nathaniel T. Bacon of Rhode Island one of the vice presidents.

**IF YOUR TROUBLE IS DYSPEPSIA**

why don't you get a bottle of Dyppelets of your druggist this very day? These tablets are proving very satisfactory in promptly relieving sour stomach, wind in the stomach, heartburn, nausea and other symptoms of indigestion and dyspepsia. They are composed of the most approved digestives, carminatives and correctives, and are pleasant to take and economical. You can get them of any druggist at 10c, 25c or \$1.00 a bottle. Prepared by C. L. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

**TEXTILE VS. WENTWORTH ACAD.**

In their first home game of the season the Lowell Textile school baseball nine lined up against the Wentworth academy team of Boston on the school campus at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The Textile Boys have been practising daily under the direction of Coach "Billy" H. McLaughlin and with Sturtevant, the star pitcher, on the firing line, they went onto the field confident of winning.

The Textile lineup was as follows:

Hart, c.; White, 3b.; Aiken, 1b.; Sturtevant, p.; Davis, ss.; Davineau, lf.; Sjosten, 2d.; McNamee, rf.; Winn, c.

**"DAYLIGHT SAVING" SCHEME**

**LONDON, May 6.**—The "daylight saving" scheme by which the clock will be put ahead an hour is expected to be approved by the house of commons on Monday and will go into effect the following Sunday morning.

**HARVARD AND CORNELL MEET**

**ITHACA, N. Y., May 6.**—Ideal weather and track conditions prevailed for the annual dual meet between Cornell and Harvard here this afternoon. Cornell was the favorite.

**BOARD OF TRADE**

The Lowell board of trade committee on referenda of the chamber of commerce of the United States will hold a meeting at the rooms of the organization in Central street Tuesday afternoon at 8 o'clock. At 4 o'clock on the same day a meeting of fire prevention committee will be held, while in the evening at 6 o'clock the directors' monthly meeting will be held.

**For the Attention of All**

Who have left with H. C. McOske, pictures, photographs, diplomas, etc., to be framed. There are over 1000 of these unclaimed for orders, and as Mr. McOske is no longer in business, it is urgently requested that those whose orders are here, call for them at once.

**FRANK RICARD'S Down Town Gift Shop**

123 CENTRAL STREET

#### GERMAN REPLY Continued

believed in Holland that the German note to the United States was carefully prepared in the hope that it may lead eventually to peace negotiations. The despatch says in part:

"There is a belief here that behind the white cloud of vague and conditional promises lies the hope that negotiations for peace will be opened with England through the mediation of the United States. According to this view Germany hopes that Washington will open a discussion first on the questions of contraband and the naval blockade which will widen by easy stages to eventual discussion of possible peace conditions."

"In American circles in Berlin it is believed that Ambassador Gerard during his recent visit to the Kaiser's headquarters at the front discussed matters far wider than merely the questions at issue between Berlin and Washington."

The Daily News correspondent also says that the Wolf bureau sent out here yesterday, the outgrowth of the attempt to overthrow the administration of President Jimenez, resulted in several persons being killed or wounded yesterday.

Members of the diplomatic corps are endeavoring to effect an amicable solution of the troubles. The republic outside of Santo Domingo, remains quiet.

"This appears to be the historic opportunity for America. If the United States maintains an equally firm position against the starvation of Germany as against the German submarine warfare, then there will be an opening for the belligerents to consider how they can end this miserable war."

**GERMANY'S LAST CONCESSION**

**VOSASCHE ZEITUNG Says Imperial Government Has Gone Straight to the Point—German Press Satisfied**

**BERLIN, May 6, via London.**—The text of the German reply to the American note was printed in extra editions of the newspapers but caused hardly a ripple of excitement. No crowds gathered around the newspaper offices and the people in general showed marked calmness.

Noted restraint was shown in the limited comment made on the note in the papers. Even Count von Reventlow, usually a caustic critic of German-American relations, disposed of the matter with a single line referring his readers to previous editorials for his opinion. The Vossische Zeitung also declined to criticize and contented itself with referring to previous discussions on the issue in question. On the whole, the German press appears satisfied with the tenor of the reply from Berlin, although there are indications that the attitude of the newspapers is not wholly uninspired.

The Vossische Zeitung, one of the few papers to comment at length on the German reply, says:

"The note is inspired by a sincere wish to avoid a break with the United States. The government, in ignoring the tone of President Wilson's note, has gone straight to the point wherein there is a possibility of an agreement by offering to conduct the submarine campaign within the limits of antebellum international law. This is the last and the furthest concession that Germany can make and, should the expectation that England be now required to return to the same basis of international law be deceived, the government reserves full liberty of action."

The Taegliche Bundschau, while expressing the opinion that the note should have taken a different character, urges that the expression of divergent views is unwarranted at this moment and that everybody should subordinate his own judgment and stand behind the Government.

"After Germany has undertaken this doubly difficult sacrifice," says this paper, "Germans are entitled to expect America to keep her promise to restore the freedom of the seas as against all belligerents. It is now up to the American people to show before all the world whether their purpose was to protect the rights of humanity or to act as England's ally with a view to cripple us and frustrate our victory."

The Berlin Tagblatt contents itself with summarizing the main points of the note and expressing the hope that it will attain its aim in preventing war with America.

**GIVE GERMANY A CHANCE**

**Officials Favor Giving the Kaiser an Opportunity to Demonstrate Assurances**

**WASHINGTON, May 6.**—Administration officials, basing their opinion on the press version of the note stated that Germany doubtless would be given a chance to demonstrate her assurances that submarine commanders have been notified not to sink merchant vessels without warning.

Much interest was apparent today among officials on editorial opinions of the German note. Many of these suggested the reply should be considered satisfactory pending the result of Germany's promise to "do its utmost to confine operations of the war for the rest of its duration to the fighting forces of the belligerents." Others, suggesting that a diplomatic break would be advisable, pointed particularly to the apparent tendency of Germany to qualify the submarine assurances by conditions concerning the conduct of British naval warfare.

**TEXTILE VS. WENTWORTH ACAD.**

In their first home game of the season the Lowell Textile school baseball nine lined up against the Wentworth academy team of Boston on the school campus at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The Textile Boys have been practising daily under the direction of Coach "Billy" H. McLaughlin and with Sturtevant, the star pitcher, on the firing line, they went onto the field confident of winning.

The Textile lineup was as follows:

Hart, c.; White, 3b.; Aiken, 1b.; Sturtevant, p.; Davis, ss.; Davineau, lf.; Sjosten, 2d.; McNamee, rf.; Winn, c.

**"DAYLIGHT SAVING" SCHEME**

**LONDON, May 6.**—The "daylight saving" scheme by which the clock will be put ahead an hour is expected to be approved by the house of commons on Monday and will go into effect the following Sunday morning.

**HARVARD AND CORNELL MEET**

**ITHACA, N. Y., May 6.**—Ideal weather and track conditions prevailed for the annual dual meet between Cornell and Harvard here this afternoon. Cornell was the favorite.

**BOARD OF TRADE**

The Lowell board of trade committee on referenda of the chamber of commerce of the United States will hold a meeting at the rooms of the organization in Central street Tuesday afternoon at 8 o'clock. At 4 o'clock on the same day a meeting of fire prevention committee will be held, while in the evening at 6 o'clock the directors' monthly meeting will be held.

#### AT M. E. CONFERENCE TESTS ARMY EQUIPMENT YIELDS TO U. S. DEMANDS

17,000 GO ON STRIKE

**GOES ON RECORD AGAINST GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR SECTARIAN PURPOSES**

**SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 6.**—An amendment to the federal constitution to prohibit governmental appropriations for sectarian purposes, was recommended in a resolution adopted without debate today by the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. The resolution directed that the secretary notify the speaker of the house of representatives and the president of the senate of the action of the conference.

Other resolutions endorsed abstaining from tobacco on the part of church members and compulsory Biblical reading in the public schools and requested favorable action by congress on a proposed law to forbid the exportation of liquor in Africa.

**KILLED HIS MOTHER**

**BOY WHO ACCUSED FATHER OF CRIME HAS MADE A CONFESSION**

**PORTSMOUTH, O., May 6.**—George Jordan, 8, who told officers Wednesday that his father, Roy Jordan, killed his mother with a shotgun following a quarrel because she did not get up early enough to get breakfast, has confessed that he shot his mother, officials say.

The officials had brought George, and Fred, a little three-year-old son, before the probate judge and were preparing to ask them some questions when Fred, in innocence and with a pointing hand, said: "George, what did you kill mamma for?" George hung his head but did not answer. The officials were quick to follow the lead and asked Fred how George killed his mother, and the little chap said: "George killed her with a gun."

The eight-year-old lad, when asked if accusations made by his baby brother were true, admitted them. He said that he was playing with the shotgun and did not know that it was loaded.

Neighbors found the body of Mrs. Jordan Tuesday afternoon. Four sons and the father were immediately taken into custody. The eight-year-old lad told officers his father had shot his mother because she would not get out of bed to get breakfast.

Yesterday the father was formally charged with the murder.

**LLOYD C. GRISCOM ARRIVES**

**NEW YORK, May 6.**—Lloyd C. Griscom, former American ambassador to Italy, who has been in Europe for some time representing the Chicago meat packers in their claims against the British government, arrived here today on the steamship Baltic from Liverpool.

**VERIFICATION OF DEPOSITS**

As required by law, depositors are hereby requested to present their passbooks during the months of May and June for verification.

**MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK**

202 Merrimack St.

**EXPEDITION INTO MEXICO HAS PROVED VALUABLE TO UNITED STATES FORCES**

**ENGLAND OFFICIALLY NOTIFIES U. S. OF RELEASE OF MEN TAKEN OFF SHIP**

**WASHINGTON, May 6.**—Ambassador Page at London today communicated to the state department by the British government's official notification that, yielding to the representations of the United States, it would release the 38 Germans, Austrians and Turks taken by a British cruiser from the American steamer China, near Shanghai.

**C.Y.M.L. BUSINESS**

The C.Y.M.L. will hold an important meeting tomorrow morning in the study rooms in Sutton street at which a schedule for the baseball team will be arranged and a manager elected to fill the position left vacant by the resignation of Arthur Keyes. Arrangements will also be made for the Farmers' ball to be held next week, and a number of applications for membership will be acted upon.

**HIS FOOT CRUSHED**

John Tammon suffered an injury to his foot while at work at the Barry shoe shop in Stockdale street, about 11 o'clock this morning. The ambulance was called and he was taken to St. John's hospital where he received treatment.

**STRUCK BY A CAR**

William Dwar, while crossing Central street at the junction of Market street shortly before two o'clock this afternoon, fell to the pavement and was struck by an electric car. The ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital where he was booked for drunkenness.

**BOMB ON ARMY AEROPLANES**

**COLUMBUS, N. M., May 6.**—Plans have been made to equip the new army aeroplanes being tested here with bombs and bomb dropping devices.

**AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN REPORT**

**BERLIN, May 6, via London, May 6.**—The utter lack of exaltation on the part of the majority of the people of Berlin with which publication of the German note to the United States was received, was in strong contrast with the great interest shown everywhere when the American

# MANY SUITS ENTERED SENATOR LODGE FOR TRACK EXTENTION

Actions of Tort Brought Against Bay State Co. on Account of Auto Accidents—Other Cases

Special to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, May 6.—John C. Meyer of Lowell has been sued for \$10,000 in an action of tort by L. Livinstine & Co. of Boston. The papers have been filed by Attorney Ralph W. Glog of Boston. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant bled them in a letter.

The Columbia Fuel Co. of Lowell has been sued for \$500 in an action of contract by James Walsh & Son of Lowell. The papers have been filed by Attorney Bennett Silverblatt of Lowell. It is alleged that the defendant owes \$100.

Amelia Freeman of Lowell has been sued for \$2000 in an action of contract by the Old Lowell National bank. The papers have been filed by Attorney James K. Kerwin. It is alleged that the defendant owes \$1327.52.

The Merrimack Woolen Co. of Dracut has been sued for \$10,000 in an action of contract by Mitchell Bros., Inc., of New York city. The papers have been filed by Attorney James E. O'Donnell. It is alleged that the defendant company owes \$4226.05.

Alfred Yates and Jessie Yates of Bedford have been sued for \$1000 in an action of contract by the Bedford Coal & Grain Co.

Alfred Yates of Bedford has been sued for \$400 in an action of contract by the Bedford Coal & Grain Co. It is alleged that the defendant owes \$137.18.

The Bay State street railway has been sued for \$500 in an action of tort by

Charles Miller of Boston. He alleges that on May 26, 1915, while riding in the automobile of Abraham Bander of Boston, on Poland street, Billerica, he was severely injured when one of the company's cars hit the machine.

Miller has also sued Bander for \$5000 for running into the car with the automobile.

Abraham Bander of Brookline, who was also in the automobile, sued the Bay State for \$5000 for the injuries he received. Rose Bander of Maynard has sued the Bay State and Abraham Bander for \$5000 each for the injuries she received.

John J. Ryan of Lowell has been sued for \$2000 in an action of tort by Bernard F. Gately of Lowell, trustee in bankruptcy of Catherine A. Clark of Lowell. The papers have been filed by Attorneys Qua, Howard & Rogers of Lowell. It is alleged that the defendant has converted to his own use certain articles belonging to the plaintiff.

The Boston & Maine has been sued for \$10,000 in an action of tort by Mary Prendergast of Bedford as administratrix of the estate of John Prendergast of Bedford. The papers have been filed by Attorneys Vahey & Casson of Boston. It is alleged that on Dec. 25, 1915, the deceased, who was employed as a gate tender in Bedford, received injuries from which he died, owing to negligence on the part of the company.

HOYT.

## FOR SWIMMING PLACES

ARRANGEMENTS UNDERWAY FOR CONFERENCE WITH THE LOCKS & CANALS COMPANY

The waterways commission addressed a communication to Mayor O'Donnell some time ago, asking for a conference with the Locks & Canals company and the municipal council, relative to the establishment of public swimming places, and the mayor has advised the commission that he has notified the Locks & Canals company of its request.

In acknowledging the mayor's letter, the waterways commission takes occasion to criticize Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, and expresses the regret that "some other members of the government consider the protection of child life of so little moment." The letter:

Lowell, Mass., May 5, 1916.

Dear Mr. O'Donnell, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Mr. Mayor—We are in receipt of your letter regarding a conference with the Locks & Canals company concerning swimming places.

We desire to thank you for your interest and support and to express our regret that other members of the government consider the protection of child life of so little moment.

In petitioning the council for an ap-

propriation, Mr. Palmer called to the attention of the members the dangerous condition of the open ways leading from Lawrence street to the Concord river. At that time the commissioner of streets said fit to ridicule the attitude of this committee and members of the council in seeking to protect the children of Lowell. Even after a death by drowning of a four-year-old child recently, this same commissioner has neglected to erect the fences called for at the end of Clark's court and Joiners' court. We hope that no further drownings will occur in this locality as a result of this commissioner's obstinate indifference.

We trust that the ordinance suggested by this committee will be taken immediately and that you will soon be authorized to locate spots for the apparatus ordered by the council.

The proprietors of the Locks & Canals are showing commendable spirit in fencing certain danger spots along their waterways, but we desire an early conference that we may impress on this corporation the desirability not only of fencing, but making absolutely safe the spots where frequent drownings have occurred.

We have already commended the at-

titude of Agent Wadleigh of the Merrimack corporation, and the directors of the Lowell Electric Light corporation. As a result of their public-spirited activity we anticipate little opposition among other riparian owners.

We have noted with some surprise that the commissioner of streets has posted a "Private Way" sign on Congress avenue. This has been adjudged a public way by the courts in the action of Andrews vs. City of Lowell, in which the city paid \$1200 damages for the death by drowning of little Marion Andrews. It strikes us that under the circumstances the city should avail itself of the ruling and take steps to improve this way.

The railing on the terrace (over the Concord river) over the bridge (the Lowell cemetery) over the Concord river are insufficient. Whe-

fencing or pickets should be placed here. These in conjunction with the adoption of recommendations of this committee by adjoining owners will make this spot safe.

The capstones of the Taylor (Rogers) street bridge over the Concord river are an invitation to children to walk along this wall and the danger of falling to the river below. Some method should be devised by the city engineer to render this place less attractive as a promenade without injuring the appearance of the bridge.

We will forward a further report in relation to these dangerous places mentioned if attention to remedying them is further delayed.

Very truly yours,

Jackson Palmer,  
Harry W. J. Howe,  
Frank A. Warnock.

**CALLS REV. MR. JACOBS**

At a meeting of members of the Fifth Street Baptist church held last evening in the church vestry a unanimous call was extended Rev. William S. Jacobs of Newton, who has been occupying the pulpit as acting pastor for several months, to accept the local pastorate permanently. Mr. Jacobs is a student at the Newton Theological seminary from which he will graduate in June. His term as acting pastor at the local church will expire July 1, but it is probable that he will accept the call of the Fifth Street congregation and become its permanent pastor.

About 60 members of the church attended the meeting last night. Mr. Jacobs is married and his present home is in Newton.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

We have already commended the at-

**TEAMSTER, 14-YEAR-OLD BOY AND TWO HORSES BURIED BEHIND CRUSHED STONE AT GLOUCESTER**

GLOUCESTER, May 6.—Crushed to death under several tons of crushed stone, the bodies of a teamster, a 14-year-old boy, and two horses were taken yesterday from under a big stone crusher, which, with the wooden structure that partly surrounded it, collapsed, on the state highway near Essex avenue, late yesterday afternoon.

A second boy, who was found beside one of the dead horses, not only escaped death, but was only slightly injured.

Not until 25 men had worked vigor for more than an hour and a half in attempts to reach the victims were the bodies found under the great heap of stone and masses of wreckage.

At a late hour last night the name of the dead teamster was unknown, as he was known to his employer and associates only by the name of Frank. The dead boy was Austin Bray, who lived at 194 Essex avenue, a short distance from the scene of the tragedy.

At first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

Rev. Mr. Matthews was born and lived in the heart of the anthracite mining section of Pennsylvania, and he saw at first hand the work of the miners getting hard coal from the mines. His lecture was illustrated by many stereopticon views, made from photographs which the speaker had taken, and in places where he knew full well. His lecture was very interesting.

# HAL CHASE IS LEADING VILLA BANDITS ROUTED

Cincinnati Player Heads Batters and Base Stealers in National League—The Averages

CHICAGO, May 6.—Hal Chase, former star in the American and Federal leagues, is leading the batters and base stealers of the National, according to averages published here today and including games of last Wednesday. Chase's batting percentage is .358 and is helping to keep Cincinnati in front in team hitting with an average of .272. His stolen bases number 8. Heine Grob of Cincinnati leads the league in total bases with 31 and in runs scored with 13. Sauer and Williams of the Cubs are tied for home run honors with two each. The ten leading batters of the National are: Chase, Cincinnati, .458; Daubert, Brooklyn, .422; McHenry, Cincinnati, .400; Robertson, New York, .376; Alexander, Philadelphia, .376; James Smith, Pittsburgh, .375; Hinshelwood, Pittsburgh, .370; Yerkes, Chicago, .355; Farfield, New York, .353 and Mollwitz, Cincinnati, .350.

The ten leading National league pitchers, ranked according to earned runs are: Meadows, St. Louis, won 1, lost 1; Pfeffer, Brooklyn, won 2, lost 2; McConnell, Chicago, won 2, lost 1; Kanteleher, Pittsburgh, won 1, lost 2; Alexander, Philadelphia, won 4, lost 1; Harmon, Pittsburgh, won 2, lost 2; Tresca, New York, won 2, lost 2; Hendrix, Chicago, won 1, lost 1; Rudolph, Boston, won 3, lost 1; Doak, St. Louis, won 2, lost 1.

In the American league Ty Cobb is rapidly moving to the front among the batters, ranking just behind Speaker. Detroit is leading in club hitting with .361. Grange, Cleveland, leads in total bases with 33. It is tied with Felsch of Chicago for home run honors with two and with Yeast of Detroit, and Shatto, St. Louis, in runs scored, 13 each. Baker, New York, leads in stolen bases with six.

The leading batters are: Dubuc, Detroit, .444; Henry, Washington, .409; Cicotte, Chicago, .408; Burns, Detroit, .375; H. Coveskles, Cobb, Detroit, .347; Shanks, Washington, .344.

## NEEDFUL KNOWLEDGE

Lowell People Should Learn to Detect the Approach of Kidney Disease.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are many. Disordered kidneys often excrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back may ache, headaches and dizzy spells may occur and the victim is often weighted down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger. Delay often proves fatal.

You can use no better endorsed kidney remedy than Dean's Kidney Pills. Here's Lowell's proof of their merit:

Mrs. M. E. Laurie, 156 Chelmsford St., Lowell, says: "My kidneys showed signs of weakening and my back began to pain me. I had lots of suffering on account of my head aching so much. I had attacks of dizziness and my feet and ankles were swollen. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they relieved the distress in my back and the other annoying symptoms. My kidneys were strengthened and I am not troubled to speak of now."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Laurie has twice publicly recommended.

Foster-Milburn Co., Proprietary, Buffalo, N. Y.

## CLEAN-UP AND PAINT-UP

Today Is General Clean Up Day

We Have All Kinds of Tools to Help Do It With.

Hedge Shears

Grass Shears.....35c

Pruning Shears.....35c to \$1.00

Garden Trowels....10c and 15c

Lawn Grass Seed, qt.....25c

Flower Bed Guard, ft.....7c

Trellis, ft.....8c

Fly Netting, ft.....2 1-2c

Poultry and Chicken Netting

Lawn Mowers.....\$2.50 Up

Lawn Rollers—We have the Dunham Water-filled Roller. You can't make a good lawn unless you roll it.

GARDEN SEEDS

Sweet Peas, 1-4 lb.....15c

Nasturtiums, oz.....10c

Vegetable Seeds.

THE THOMPSON  
HARDWARE CO.

Telephones 156-157

## U. S. Cavalry Surprised Band at Ojo-Azules—42 Mexicans Killed —No American Casualties

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, NEAR NAMQUIPA, Mex., by wireless to Columbus, N. M., May 6.—A full squadron of 230 men of the Eleventh Cavalry surprised and routed a much larger force of Villa bandits at Ojo-Azules, 17 miles south of Cusihuachan early yesterday. Forty-two Mexicans were killed and a number wounded. There were no American casualties.

The American command, under Major Robert L. Howze had been pursuing the bandits under Gen. Cruz Dominguez and Julio Acosta for several days when they encountered them encamped in the huddled adobe huts of Ojo-Azules.

The Mexicans were completely surprised and sprang from their pallets half clothed. After firing a few wild shots they began to flee, each man shifting for himself.

Some of them were able to seize their horses already fated from a hard day's ride, but others made their way into the hills afoot.

Gen. Howze reported he was still pursuing the scattered remnant of the band, which is the largest remaining under the Villa standard. This decisive victory gave much satisfaction to military men here. It is believed the band is the same as that defeated at Temecula April 22 by Col. George A. Dodd's command.

GEN PERSHING'S OFFICIAL

### REPORT OF THE BATTLE

EL PASO, Tex., May 6.—Gen. Pershing's official report of the defeat of a Villa band at Ojo-Azules by Major Howze described the action as a cavalry charge with pistols, the first to occur since operations were begun. The Americans had ridden 30 miles before meeting the bandits.

The pursuit of the scattered Mexicans was continued for two hours.

Gen. Pershing reported that six Car-

anza prisoners the bandits had been holding for execution were released.

### VILLA LOCATED—U. S.

FORCES CLOSING IN  
EL PASO, Texas, May 6.—Pancho Villa's hiding place has been discovered by American scouts, and American soldiers now are closing in upon the bandit leader, "somewhere in Mexico."

This was the substance of a despatch sent by General J. J. Pershing to Major-General Frederick Funston at El Paso, and received yesterday afternoon by General Funston. General Pershing, it was stated, telegraphed that he had Villa located and that he expected to close in on the bandit immediately.

The message was sent from San Antonio, where General Pershing had gone from Nauvoo to inspect the troops and make a new distribution of the forces.

Further conferences on the Mexican situation between General Hugh L. Scott and General Obregon are awaiting the pleasure of General Obregon, who presumably has not received his final instructions from Mexico.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. L. Michie, aide to General Scott, visited General Obregon in his private car in Juarez yesterday morning and after passing nine minutes in the car entered a closed automobile and returned to the El Paso side. The belief is that a conference may be held soon as General Scott stated that he had asked General Obregon to set a time for the next meeting. This is thought to have been the purpose of Lieutenant-Colonel Michie's visit to Juarez during the morning.

### CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

at a cost of \$115,410, with an extra expense of \$2800 for leveling the bed of the river. The only other plan that the consulting engineer said met with all of the requirements of the city and the Locks & Canals company was the plan submitted by Conners Brothers of this city, and while the price was less than that asked by the National Engineering company it was passed up because of the fact that no time limit was mentioned. The National Engineering company agrees to build the bridge in five months.

The meeting had been called primarily for a discussion of the Pawtucket bridge matter, but there were a few minor matters, including petitions for motor bus stands in Paige and Bridge streets, to attend to. These were referred to Commissioner Morse, but the latter suggested that the matter be taken up by the council as a whole.

Mr. Morse rather sullenly stated that the Locks & Canals wouldn't agree to anything that O'Connell & Son would present and finished up by saying that the city should build the bridge.

"This bridge is being built for the Locks & Canals, not for the city," he said.

The mayor said he did not propose to participate in any quarrel between the Locks & Canals and any other corporation; that he was desirous of having the bridge built in accordance with the requirements of the city and the Locks & Canals and he wanted the bridge built as quickly as possible.

### The Plans Explained

He then called upon Mr. Worcester to explain the plans; scheme number one as presented by the National Engineering corporation and the Conners Brothers' plans.

Mr. Worcester went over the plans in question, briefly explaining the important points. The mayor had read a communication from the National Engineering company in which it was stated that the company would build the bridge, furnishing labor and material for \$115,410, the bridge to be reinforced concrete with three river spans. For leveling the river bed the company asked the sum of \$2800.

"How much per cubic yard?" asked Mr. Morse, when the \$2800 for excavation was read by the mayor.

Mr. Barrows of the National Engineering corporation was present and the mayor called upon him to answer Mr. Morse. Mr. Barrows, who had already spoken on his company's plans and the proportion as a whole, and in a comprehensive and instructive way, said that in a case of excavation such as is involved in the bridge job it was generally conceded to be more satisfactory to name a lump sum rather than to give the rate per yard. "When a lump sum is named," he said, "it is the contractor and not the other fellow taking the gamble. We might get down in the bed of that river and dredging enough to keep us there for weeks so much per yard, but we are naming a lump sum and of course we are not going to make the job last any longer than necessary."

### Conners Brothers' Plans

Mr. Morse then called attention to the fact that the Conners brothers' price was \$7000 or \$5000 less than the National Engineering corporation.

"Apparently less, perhaps, would be better," said the mayor, but Mr. Morse insisted that he was stating it just as it was.

The mayor and Commissioner Duncan then called his attention to the fact that while the National Engineering company would guarantee to build in five months, the Conners brothers did not mention any time and the bridge might drag along for two years.

It was pointed out that if a contractor could have all the time he wanted he could afford to do the job for considerably less than if he were obliged to buy his steel at this time.

"We want no more delay in this matter than we can help. It has been delayed long enough," said the mayor.

"and I am not going to vote for any of the plans."

### Harken Back to 1811

Mr. Morse said that the Merrimack river doesn't belong to either the city of Lowell or the Locks & Canals, and

the mayor read a letter from the Locks & Canals company, signed by Amos P. Bat for a bus stand in Paige street to be granted and it was so voted.

He then moved that the petition of Patrick Keegan and George White for a bus stand be laid on the table, and it was so voted.

### William J. Sherman was appointed

weighter of coal and other articles.

The mayor said he had asked the city collector to prepare an order for the taking of land on the Pawtucketville side of the Pawtucket bridge for approach of said bridge.

The mayor described it as the northerly side and easterly end and the order will be presented at the meeting on Tuesday next.

The mayor read a letter from the Locks & Canals company, signed by Amos P. Miller, in which it was stated that the plans submitted by Daniel O'Connell & Son of Holyoke were not entirely up to all requirements and included an invasion of the Locks & Canals company's rights.

J. R. Worcester, of the J. R. Worcester company was present at the meeting and the mayor asked if he knew where he was at all the time and he knew, he said, that he could handle the motor bus locations single-handed, if he wanted to, but he preferred to have the whole council interested.

"Very well," said the mayor, "but of course you realize, Mr. Morse, that it was referred to you as a matter of courtesy."

The mayor then moved that the petition of Amos P. Bat for a bus stand in Paige street be granted and it was so voted.

He then moved that the petition of Patrick Keegan and George White for a bus stand be laid on the table, and it was so voted.

### The Mayor's Message

Mr. Morse then called attention to the fact that his company will take this property and will commence at once the construction of a 10 story, fire-proof building including all the latest details of industrial factory buildings.

The floors will each contain 13,000 square feet and the total floor space, including basement, will be 144,000 square feet. The first plan was for eight stories but this has been changed to seven.

Mr. Burgess further stated that his company is prepared to operate as in other places in such a way that tenants may be taken care of at their growth requires.

Other buildings will be erected as need requires.

Mr. Burgess declared that his invariable rule as to tenants is a strict one and only well regulated industries would be permitted to occupy the floors.

The work of tearing down the old buildings will begin as soon as the papers are passed and the new building will be completed by October 1.

### LOWELL COUNCIL R. A.

The annual ladies' night entertainment was held by Lowell council No. 8 Royal Arcanum Thursday night.

The entertainment took the form of a cabaret show and concert.

The program was given by the Glee club of the council and was greatly enjoyed by the members and guests present.

Luncheon was served during the evening.

### Opera House, Tomorrow, 3 O'Clock

Subject: "The Battle of Armageddon"

ADMISSION IS FREE—NO COLLECTION

Everyone Invited.

Will lecture in person at the

Opera House, Tomorrow, 3 O'Clock

Everyone Invited.

Be sure to be present

# KEITH'S

LOWELL'S LEADING THEATRE

### SPECIAL SUNDAY

Matinee 2:15. Evening 7:30. Biggest

and Best of Them All

### THE PALMER

GLEE CLUB

75—Lowell's Favorite Singers—75

Other Big Acts and Photo-plays.

No Advance in Price.

5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. Mat. and Eve.

DON'T MISS THIS BIG TREAT

Tom Kuma

Lightning Ring Artist

Next Week is Farewell Week of Vaudeville

Fresh From European Triumphs

ANNA CHANDLER

In "All Original Ideas"

Diamond & Brennan

In "Ninety-nonsense"

Wm. Wilson & Co.

In "The Politician"

# SUN & REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

## REAL ESTATE OPERATIONS

Many New Buildings to be Erected  
—Many Small Jobs on Hand  
—Deeds Recorded for Week

The work of razing the buildings on the site of the new high school in Kirk and Anne streets has been pushed ahead very rapidly during the past week and the only building that remains standing at the present time is that which was occupied by the Day Nursery up to Thursday night. This building also would have been down by this time but for the fact that the Swift-McNutt Co. postponed the demolition of the building until the directors of the nursery could secure new or temporary quarters.

As stated in The Sun during the early part of the week, new quarters have been secured at 15 Paige street, but inasmuch as it will be almost a year before the new building can be occupied temporary quarters are to be taken up at the Day Nursery in First street.

The snow and inclement weather bothered the company in charge of the tearing down of the buildings almost from the time they started the work

but despite that fact excellent progress was made during the days when the weather was fair.

At the present time a gang of workers is engaged in clearing away the brick and debris on the ground, and in the manner in which the work is progressing it will not be long before the premises are cleared.

During the past week engineers of the city engineering department have been making soundings for foundations for the new building and up to the present time the borings have varied from nine to 26 feet. In the vicinity of the location of the Day Nursery building the engineers found ledge about one foot thick in other places it was necessary to go much deeper on account of the sand and clay.

**NEW BUILDINGS**  
Austin and Rose Gallery have been

**Frank L. Weaver Alvah H. Weaver**  
**Frank L. Weaver & Son**  
**Roofing Contractors**

Offices 45 Tradesmen's Bank Building, Lowell, Mass.

**WALTER E. GUYETTE**  
Real Estate Broker and Auctioneer  
Onece 53 Central St., Room 77-78

A complete list of city properties of exceptional quality at bargain prices.

**MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE**  
Parties can borrow on either first or second mortgages. Old mortgage notes discounted. Heirs or others can have money advanced on undivided estates anywhere.

**JOHN BRADY**  
155 Church Street—Telephone

**CARROLL BROS.**  
PLUMBERS and STEAM FITTERS  
36 Middle St. Tel. 5170

**J. A. SIMPSON**  
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDING MOVER

Office 421 Hildreth Bldg.

Res. Tel. 4385-W, 67 Methuen St.

by counsel for the defense found that the shooting was accidental and discharged Keene.

**JAIL FOR FOUR MONTHS**

Adelard Gregoire and Leon Gadoury were arrested the day before yesterday by Patrolman Patrick Bagley and when they were brought to the police station they were booked for drunkenness. They appeared in court yesterday morning and admitted their guilt, but their cases were continued until this morning in order that the police might make an investigation which might cause them to be charged with a more serious offense. In court this morning when Judge Fisher was apprised of the actions of the pair he sentenced each to four months in jail.

**SUN BREVITIES**

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Goodrich tires, Beharrell.

Best place for hats, Delorme, Sun Bldg.

Interest begins today, May 5, at The Central Savings bank.

Mrs. Fred Horne is spending a fortnight at her cottage in Beechwood. Me.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, 228 Hildreth bldg. Telephone.

Among the trade marks recently registered in the U.S. patent office, through the offices of General Gardner W. Pearson, is one to the Standard Shoe Machinery Co. for shoemakers' tools and appliances.

At a meeting of the Lowell Historical society to be held in city hall next Wednesday, Mrs. Sara Swan Griffin will read a paper on "The Romantic Marriage of the Princess Westmore."

Mrs. Fred E. Nelson of 34 Clark road will entertain the Lowell General Hospital Aid association Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Nelson will be assisted by Mrs. Frederick J. Boynton, Dr. H. M. Larabee will speak and Mrs. N. J. Marcotte will sing.

The Nurses' Alumni of the Lowell Corporation hospital met yesterday afternoon with 21 members present. Miss Phillips '12, of Somerville was present. Important business was transacted and two new members were admitted.

"The Ladies' Battle," a three-act comedy given last week by a cast of young women, is the annual play of the Middessex Women's club, and witnessed only by the members, was presented to the public at Colonial hall last night before a large and appreciative audience. The entertainment was held for the benefit of the children's gardens, a work in which the club is to share this summer.

**MRS. KELLY'S FUNERAL**

Judge Thomas J. Enright attended the funeral of Mrs. Honora Kelly at Randolph, Mass., this morning. The deceased was the sister of the late Rev. Daniel J. Gleason, a former curate at St. Patrick's church in this city and later rector at Randolph. She was also a cousin of Mr. William O'Brien of St. Patrick's church this city. There was a large attendance of clergymen and relatives and friends of the deceased at the funeral.

granted a permit to erect a two-family dwelling at 235-237 Wenworth avenue. The building when completed will be 39 by 25 feet and each apartment will contain six rooms, a kitchen, hall, pantry and bath with vestibule five by six feet. The estimated cost is \$3000.

Charles E. Cashia is building a dwelling at 1821 Middlesex street. The building will have a frontage of 26 feet and extend back 30 feet. It will contain seven rooms, a reception hall, pantry and bath with vestibule five by six feet. The estimated cost is \$1800.

A permit has been granted to the American Hide & Leather Co. to erect a garage, 32 feet, 8 inches, by 27 feet, 8 inches, one story high, in Perry street, adjacent to its plant. The building will be constructed of brick and concrete, will be heated from the main plant and the cost of the building will be about \$2000.

Joseph Lopelle is erecting a dwelling on a new street off Seventh avenue, opposite Mt. Grove street, the street being unnamed as yet. It will be 20 by 28 feet, contain six rooms, a kitchen, hall, pantry and bath, with two front bays. The cost is \$1200.

A permit has been granted to Elizabeth Clough to construct a garage 12 by 17 feet in the rear of 27 Third avenue.

Two modern dwellings are to be erected in Georgia avenue, one at 89 by Mildred Brennan, and the other at 97 by Elizabeth Brennan. Both will be practically the same, each being 25' feet by 32' feet, two and one-half stories, steel frame, containing eight rooms, a kitchen, hall, and bath, with two front bays. The cost of each will be about \$2700.

**ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS**

Andrew Ogglin has been granted a permit to make an addition for a kitchen, pantry and bath at 146 B street, the estimated cost of the improvements being \$500.

Lizzie Monahan is adding a front and rear piazza at 41 Bowlers street at a cost of \$125.

A permit has been granted to John Axon to make improvements in his property at 62 Sixth avenue. A portion of the rear of the building now used as a shed is to be converted into a chamber and bath room. The cost will be \$225.

A rear stairway is being placed inside the building being planned by J. M. and L. M. Spurz at 36 Race street. The cost of the addition is \$50.

Francis N. Abodeily is making extensive alterations to his property at 72 Adams street. The building, which is a two and one-half story affair, is to be made over into three-story building with a flat roof. A store and six rooms will occupy the first floor, but there will be seven rooms, a kitchen, hall, and bath on the second and third floors. The cost of alterations will be about \$1600.

John J. Sullivan has been granted a permit to erect a piazza at 67 Washington street, the cost of the addition being about \$100.

Celia Cote is having a piazza platform added to her home at 314 Hildreth street.

A permit has been granted to Rose O'Loughlin to change over the front room of her building at 8 Rogers street into a store and to put in a store front. The cost to make the alterations is estimated at \$100.

Wright Whitley is making alterations to his property at 98 Andrews street which will cost about \$600.

The building is to be raised about seven feet and the basement transformed into a store. An addition will

be made to the front of the building.

**CLEAN-UP WEEK HELD A PRIZE DRILL**

Was Not a Very Big Success in Lowell This Year

It was intimated this morning at the office of the board of health that cleanup week has not been a howling success. Cleanup week was ushered in last Monday and this is the last day. It is generally believed that it would have been a greater success had the weather been warmer. But the spring has been very backward and while cleanup week was later this year than last it was not as big a success this year as last, for the reason that the weather was against it.

Replying to questions asked him this morning, Agent Bates of the board of health said that this week was not by any means a record breaker in the number of loads of dirt taken by the health department teams and in fact the records showed that it was beaten to a frazzle by the third week in April. The total number of loads taken this week up to last night, was 655, as against 643 for the preceding week and 543 for the third week in April. Mr. Bates called attention, however, to the fact that there was very little ashes this week because there was not much coal being burned now; and that the 655 loads were mostly rubbish.

The judges for the military contest were Capt. Walter R. Jexes and Lieut. Schuyler R. Waller of Company G, Sixty regiment, M.V.M. and Lieut. Powers of Company C. After the various competing companies were put through several interesting evolutions, the judges awarded the first prize, a gold medal, to Garde Frontenac and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a most enjoyable evening.

A feature of the evening was the competitive prize drill in which we

participated the local semi-military organizations connected with the brigade as well as companies from Lawrence, Haverhill and Nashua.

The evening's program was presided over by Lieut. Louis St. Jean of Garde d'Honneur and those present spent a

# THE LOWELL SUN

JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor  
SUN BUILDING, MERRIMACK SQUARE, LOWELL, MASS.

Member of the Associated Press  
THREE DOLLARS PER YEAR TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER MONTH

## THE GERMAN REPLY

The reply of the German government to the emphatic note of President Wilson is a remarkable and somewhat rambling document in which a contemptuous independence and a meek humility are strangely interwoven. Meant for the consumption of the German public as well as the Washington government, it is so phrased that almost anything can be read into it. As a reply to an ultimatum it is a disappointment, but nevertheless it makes important concessions and, for the time being at least, that is the main thing. The note gives the government at Washington a way out of a delicate situation and we now know that a break with this country is not desired. Had President Wilson insisted on the recognition of the letter of his demands, he might now consistently break with Germany. The indications are that the government of the United States will accept the promises of Germany at their face value and give her another chance to live up to them.

It is no small concession that Germany grants, even though she grants it conditionally. Stripped of its diplomatic verbiage and boiled down to essentials, the note declares that Germany will use her submarines according to international law; provided that England also will act according to international law—as Germany interprets it. In accepting the German concession this country must also accept the attached condition, but in the last analysis the issue is squarely between the United States and Germany and no legal or illegal act of England may enter into the negotiations between Washington and Berlin. A promise has been given, and if a break comes later it will come only through the illegal acts and broken promises of Germany.

The most important section of the note, and the only section that specifically meets the American demands quoted new orders that have been given to submarine commanders as follows:

"In accordance with the general principles of visit and search and the destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law, such vessels both within and without the area declared a naval war zone, shall not be sunk without warning and without saving human lives unless the ship attempts to escape or offer resistance."

If lived up to, this will prove sufficient, but remembering the past we can only wait and see, meanwhile hoping for the best.

Here and there throughout the note there are significant points which are not inserted without reason. Starting out with a brave show of independence the note soon becomes modified in tone, and the American government is assured that the German government holds for us the most cordial friendship. Germany regrets that "mistakes" have happened in the conduct of the war, but adds: "As the German people, but America never asked for the abandonment of the submarine, asking merely that it be used in accordance with international law. Another important point is that in which Germany assures us that it is "resolved to go to the utmost limit of concessions" and hints at its readiness to discuss peace whenever the allies may care to do so. This desire for peace is probably behind the German concessions, but the main thing is that the American note has been adequately answered, and an immediate break has been averted.

## ROOSEVELT'S VERACITY

The American people are too busy as a whole to look up most of the accusations of Colonel Roosevelt, but occasionally a patient newspaper does a little investigating with remarkable results. The following editorial from the Washington Post speaks for itself:

Having had occasion to examine certain newspaper files covering the period of the Roosevelt administration, the Evening Post is again despairing of the colonel's veracity.

Among other things that were not so, the colonel told the Methodist brethren the other night, in the course of an assault on the administration's Mexican policy, that while he was president "not one man, woman or child was slain by representatives of any foreign nation."

Turing to the files of the worshipful Tribune, the Evening Post finds such records as these in respect to Mexico: July 22, 1894, "Two Americans Shot"; Jan. 18, 1895, "A. I. Sanger Murdered"; Jan. 22, 1895, "Vaguis Kill Four Americans." Then, after various minor insults such as "American Fishermen Jailed," and "American Sailors Charge Tortures," comes June, 1906, in which "Root Denies American Troops to Cananea" after several Americans had been killed there and the survivors had demanded that the American government send a military force to protect them. In fact, Root and Roosevelt deliberately Chinamen the United States by refusing to send a single soldier across the line, which was probably a most sensible decision.

After having made such interesting discoveries, it is not strange that the Post should have asked: "Do they prove that he is an unblushing liar?" If we were treating of Wilson, or Root, or Taft or Bryan, such would be the popular decision, but the colonel is not held to a strict standard of veracity. The Post sums up his immunity

and deserves the punishment of traitors.

But the Irish rebels are not in that class. They did not rebel against their own country but against England, which has held Ireland in subjection for seven centuries. The cases cited by the Courier-Citizen are not parallel or analogous. Suppose our Filipino subjects who are seeking independence should proclaim a republic and attempt to drive out their American rulers, could they be justly termed American traitors? Oh no. They never pledged their allegiance to this country. Our rule was forced upon them; and if they should try to cast off it they would be doing only that which the American colonists did and like them they would deserve to be hailed as patriots, not traitors. So with the Irish rebels who figured in the recent revolt however misguided.

## TRUCKS AND PAVEMENTS

The general use of the heavy trucks for teaming purposes has introduced a new element into street paving and calls for special arrangements to meet new conditions. The smooth paving that is so favored for the principal streets does not stand the wear of the heavier vehicles, and the granite paving of the side street is not always suitable in the business district. It may be found necessary in the future for cities to restrict the trucks to certain streets, and to make special provision for them in mapping out a program of street improvement. With our congestion of traffic in certain important districts it would not be possible to do this, but we cannot escape the fact that as the use of trucks becomes more general, the more costly shall become street construction and maintenance. Some method of meeting the difficulty will have to be adopted before our street management is entirely satisfactory.

## ROOT A CANDIDATE

"The opening of these headquarters meets with the approval of Mr. Root," said Congressman Dwight on opening Root headquarters in New York last Thursday, and immediately Root's hat was in the ring. Down falls the cast of cards built on the imaginary agreement between Roosevelt and Root at a recent luncheon, and down to a still lower level tumbles the Roosevelt stocks. The republicans realize that they are up against a hard proposition to defeat President Wilson, in spite of their pretenses, and they are getting their strongest men line. It is not long since Mr. Root made a touching speech in the senate, in which he spoke of retiring to the house on the Hudson where truth and honor dwelt in his youth. Has he grown tired of that house so soon, now that he pines for a sojourn in the White House?

## CONTRIBUTING TO PENSIONS

While there is a growing sentiment against all forms of pensions, the system that obliges public employees to contribute towards a pension has much to recommend it. Men in the public service may be freely quoted against the idea, but these are the men who unblushingly ask the people to support them when they get ready to retire from active life. The contributory pension system is more like a wise insurance that obliges those who are to benefit to put something by for the rainy day, the state to come part way in encouraging them to do so. This is now being done by the school teachers and by other classes of public employees and unless pension systems are to be eliminated entirely the contributory system will take the place of the present lack of system.

## GARDEN WEATHER

The average man needs no urging for the making of a garden; the desire for one is in the blood and crops out about May every year. To prepare the ground, to plant seeds and to keep out weeds is not a difficult matter and there is more of pleasure than of work in it. Almost any spot can be made productive if given the proper attention. All that is needed is a little enthusiasm and imagination and a sterile lot may be made into a thing of beauty. And how much pleasanter it is to have pansies, roses, lilies or possibly beans and peas grow-

## Cuts Heal Quickly

Apply Minard's Liniment to cuts. This remarkable, creamy, antiseptic germicide is all that is ever needed to quickly heal cuts, bruises or sores.

Don't neglect even little cuts or scratches. Blood poisoning with dangerous results may follow if wounds are not properly

wounds and promptly given attention. Minard's Liniment is clean, stainless, and absolutely pure. It is used in many homes as the dependable remedy for pain of all kinds—Always have it on hand ready for instant use. Any druggist will supply you.

## WRONG AGAIN

The Courier-Citizen compares the case of the Irish rebels to that of German Americans who would attempt to set up a German republic in St. Louis or Chicago while the United States and Germany were engaged in war. The man who would try to overthrow the government of his own country or to offer aid and comfort to her enemies is certainly a traitor

## RHEUMATIC PAIN STOPPED

The drawing of muscles, the stiffness, stiffness and agonizing pain of rheumatism quickly disappears. Stimulating exercise stimulates circulation to painful parts. In a short time the pain gives way to a tingling sensation of comfort and warmth. Here's proof—"I have had wonderful relief since I used your Liniment on my knee. To tell you the truth, I have no relief. Sorry I haven't space to tell you the history. Thanking you for what your remedy has done for me."—James S. Ferguson, Philad., Pa. Sigan's Liniment kills pain, 25¢ at druggists.

**GUM BROS.**  
Cor. Gorham and Anderson Sts.  
Near Edson Cemetery. Tel. 1017  
Auto supplies, Beharrell, 23 Middle.

**MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS**  
Of all descriptions in granite, marble and bronze. Our manufacturing plant has the most modern power equipment and every labor saving device.

**AMERICAN TOOTH CO.**

170-176 Appleton St.  
Estimates cheerfully furnished.  
Telephone 629.

**Dwyer & Co.**

PAINTING CONTRACTORS

170-176 Appleton St.

Estimates cheerfully furnished.

Telephone 629.

**Devine's Trunk Store**

Removed to

156 Merrick St., Opp. Bon Marche

BEST LINE OF LEATHER

GOODS IN LOWELL

Camp Farragut

The regular meeting of Admiral

ing around the door than a miscellaneous assortment of cans and rubbish of all sorts?

## SEEN AND HEARD

Any farm boy can tell you that corn planting time is just about swimming pool opening time.

Not for a Nickel

It was in a country store in Arkansas. A one-gallon customer drifted in. "Gimme a nickel's worth of asafetida." The clerk poured some asafetida in a paper bag and pushed it across the counter.

"Charge it," drawled the customer. "What's your name?" asked the clerk. "Honeyfunkel."

"Take it," said the clerk. "I wouldn't write asafetida and Honeyfunkel for five cents!"—Everybody's.

Remembering His Name

Two women who were picking out the wall paper for an apartment had made some progress, but had not finished when it was time for luncheon. The salesmen had been obliging and expeditious and on the way out the customers asked his name of the manager.

He doesn't knock his fellow men, Or harbor any grudges then; A seller's at his finest, when

Out fishin':

The rich are comrades to the poor,

Out fishin':

All brothers of a common lure,

Out fishin':

The urchin with the pin an' string

Can chum with millionaire an' king;

Vain pride is a forgotten thing,

Out fishin':

A seller gets a chance to dream,

Out fishin':

He learns the beauties of a stream,

Out fishin':

An' he can wash his soul in air,

That isn't foul with selfish care,

Out fishin':

A seller has no time for hate,

Out fishin':

He isn't eager to be great,

Out fishin':

He isn't thinkin' thoughts of pest,

Out fishin':

But he is always just himself,

Out fishin':

A seller's glad to be a friend,

Out fishin':

A helpful hand he'll always lend,

Out fishin':

The brotherhood of rod an' line,

An' sky an' stream is always fine;

Men come real close to God's design,

Out fishin':

A seller isn't plotting schemes,

Out fishin':

A seller's only busy with his dreams,

Out fishin':

His liver is a coat of tan,

His creed; to do the best he can;

A seller's always mostly man,

Out fishin':

—Edgar A. Guest.

with your feet, right back home you go.

"Gosh. A divorce," breathed the next door man to his wife. They spent most of the night talking whether the newlyweds could live together another week.

"Well, he had no right to spoil her carneys," commented the wife with a smile that ended the discussion.

Next morning a curly-haired black pup was cavorting over the lawn of

"Charlie," the young wife was saying to the new pet. "I'm sorry I scolded you last night, but your feet were terribly muddy."—Columbus Dispatch.

Out Fishin'

A seller isn't thinkin' mean,

Out fishin':

His thoughts are mostly good and clean,

Out fishin':

He doesn't knock his fellow men,

Or harbor any grudges then;

A seller's at his finest, when

Out fishin':

The rich are comrades to the poor,

Out fishin':

All brothers of a common lure,

Out fishin':

The urchin with the pin an' string

Can chum with millionaire an' king;

Vain pride is a forgotten thing,

Out fishin':

A seller gets a chance to dream,

Out fishin':

He learns the beauties of a stream,

Out fishin':

An' he can wash his soul in air,

That isn't foul with selfish care,

Out fishin':

A seller has no time for hate,

Out fishin':

He isn't eager to be great,

Out fishin':



## LATEST

## CAPTURED BY GERMANS

15 FRENCH CAPTIVE BALLOONS BROKE LOOSE AND LANDED OVER GERMAN LINES

BERLIN, May 6.—(Wireless to Sayville.)—A large number of French captive balloons broke loose owing to a sudden storm, says the official statement issued today at the German army headquarters, and were driven over the German lines. More than 15 were captured.

The text of the statement follows:

"German patrols were successful southeast and south of Armentières. A number of prisoners were taken and two machine guns and two mine throwers were captured."

"Near Givry-en-Gohelle a British attack against several craters occupied by us was repulsed."

"Northeast of Vienne-le-Château a large French patrol enterprise failed after a hand to hand struggle."

"On the left bank of the Meuse artillery and infantry engagements in the district southeast of Hancourt are in progress. We were again successful. The battles have not yet been terminated."

"South of Varennes Sergeant Major Frank, on May 4, shot down by a British biplane. This is the fourth aeroplane shot down by this aviator. The emperor recognized the achievements of the brave flier by appointing him an officer."

"Southwest of Diedenhofen a French aeroplane came to earth. Its occupants were made prisoner."

"A large number of French captive balloons owing to a sudden storm broke loose and were driven over our lines. More than 15 have been captured up to the present time."

Eastern front: The situation generally unchanged.

"Balkan front: One of the German

## LAW AGAINST DUELS

## MAN INDICTED FOR HAVING CHALLENGED ANOTHER TO FIGHT A DUEL

BOSTON, May 6.—Zenophon Zakaroulos was indicted today for having challenged George Iatropoulos to fight a duel for revolvers in Franklin park. It was said to be the first time the law against duels had been made the basis of a charge in this state in more than a century. The police to whom Iatropoulos referred the alleged challenge say it grew out of family troubles.

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
Committee Votes to Recommend Confirmation of George S. Rublee to Be Member of Board

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The senate committee on interstate commerce voted today to recommend the long delayed confirmation of George S. Rublee of New Hampshire as a member of the federal trade commission. Senator Gallinger has opposed confirmation and Mr. Rublee has been holding office under recess appointment. The recommendation will be taken up in the senate next week. Senator Gallinger would make no comment today on the committee's action.

## WEINBECK PROPERTY SOLD

A two and one-half story house and about 5000 square feet of land at 164 Wentworth avenue, the property of John A. Weinbeck, the local undertaker, was sold at public auction about three o'clock this afternoon, the purchaser being Thomas P. McKay, of the park commission. The price paid was \$2400. Charles F. Keyes was the auctioneer.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## HEAVY FIGHTING RESUMED IN VERDUN

Germans Again on Offensive West of Meuse—The French Driven Out of Trenches—Norway Protests to British and French Governments Against the Seizure of Mails

Heavy fighting has been resumed in the Verdun region with the Germans again on the offensive west of the Meuse. They have brought up a fresh division and apparently made a new concentration of heavy artillery. Instead of attacking Dead Man hill, around which the battle has raged recently, they are now directing their attention to the somewhat higher eminence known as Hill 304, to the southwest, towards Avocourt on the French left flank.

## French Forced to Evacuate

The afternoon bulletin of the Paris war office admits that an unusually violent bombardment compelled the French to evacuate part of their trench on the northern slope of the hill. It declares, however, that German efforts to advance were checked by the fire of the French artillery and that the French troops the German crown prince threw into the fray suffered heavy losses.

Attacks by the Germans north and northwest of Hill 304 were pushed so close to the French defenses that the bayonet had to be used to repel the assaults.

## Three Zeppelins Destroyed

Yesterday's reports indicating the destruction of three Zeppelins were followed today by a despatch from Dutch sources announcing that the Zeppelin L-9 had been sighted flying low across the North sea, apparently badly crippled.

Norway has protested to the British and French governments against their action in seizing Norwegian mails. Similar protests have been made by the United States and Holland.

## TRAVELLERS DECLARE THAT RUSSIAN TROOPS SAILED FROM PERSIA

NEW YORK, May 6.—According to travellers who recently have been in Petrograd and who arrived here yesterday on the steamer Bergensfjord, the Russian troops reported to have landed in France embarked in the Persian Gulf, after marching across Persia. No official information was given out in Petrograd, the passengers said, regarding the expedition.

On the contrary, the entire movement was veiled in secrecy although there was much gossip about it in the Persian capital.

It was understood that preparations for the expedition had been under way for months and that to carry it out there were assembled in Persian it

territory large numbers of camels, auto trucks and other means of transporting troops 700 miles to the gulf. News as to whether or not Russian troops had landed in France was eagerly sought by several of the Petrograd passengers upon their arrival.

The ship brought 1500 bags of mail, more than has arrived from any of the neutral countries for some time. The mail, according to the Bergensfjord's officers, is from Norway, Germany, Rumania, Bulgaria, Russia and Turkey. The ship eluded the British patrol in the North Sea and did not call at Kirkwall.

B. M. Rasmussen, United States consul at Gothenburg, who came home on a two weeks' leave of absence, said he had not received any official or private mail from this country since March 15.

## ZEPPELIN SHOT DOWN BY FRENCH FLEET AT SALONIKI

PARIS, May 6.—A despatch from Saloniki says that the entire population of the town witnessed the destruction yesterday morning of the German Zeppelin which was shot down by the French fleet in the harbor. The despatch says that the airship was one of the newest and largest type, known as super-Zeppelins.

## FRENCH EVACUATED PART OF THEIR TRENCHES ON NORTH-SIDE OF HILL 304

PARIS, May 6, 10:1 p. m.—The French evacuated part of their trenches on the northern slope of Hill 304 on the Verdun front west of the Meuse, as the result of an unusually violent bombardment by heavy German guns. The war office statement of this afternoon says, however, that all efforts of the Germans to advance were checked by French guns and that a fresh division of troops which the Germans brought into action sustained great losses. Attacks north and northwest of Hill 304 were repulsed with the bayonet.

"It has been confirmed that the attack of the enemy delivered the day before yesterday on our positions to the north of Hill No. 304 was conducted by a fresh division of German troops and that these men suffered overwhelming losses.

"There has been a slow and continued bombardment upon our lines at Dead Man hill and Cimieres. East of the river Meuse there has been intense artillery activity in the region of Vaux."

## CHELMFORD STREET BRIDGE

HENRY C. ROBINSON, division superintendent of the Boston & Maine has written a letter to Secretary Murphy of the board of trade to the effect that he had informed Mr. Guppy, engineer of structures for the B. & M. to communicate with Mr. Murphy in relation to the re-location of the stairway at the Chelmsford street bridge. The company, it appears, is willing to comply with the suggestion made by the board of trade.

## TAMPERING WITH HYDRANTS

The local firemen are flushing out the hydrants throughout the city. They find that in many cases the caps, loosened by being struck by wagon wheels, have been taken off by boys who filled the pipes with pebbles and gravel. In lower Middlesex street this form of mischief has given the firemen considerable trouble and has caused the water to be muddy as well.

territory that the Germans had to cease firing.

In the Argonne yesterday evening a surprise attack upon a small salient of the enemy lines at a point to the east of the Binarville road made it possible for us to make our way into the German trenches. We brought back some prisoners and took two machine guns.

To the west of the river Meuse the bombardment by the enemy with shells of heavy calibre accompanied by the use of suffocating gases continued yesterday and last night. This attack attained an unprecedented violence in the sector embracing Hill No. 201. Here we had to evacuate a part of our trenches on the northern slope of this hill which had been completely shattered and rendered untenable by the artillery fire of the Germans. Our batteries replied with no less energy and checked the advance of the enemy.

"Last night a German attack directed upon the wood to the west and to the northwest of hill No. 304 was repulsed with the bayonet.

"It has been confirmed that the attack of the enemy delivered the day before yesterday on our positions to the north of Hill No. 304 was conducted by a fresh division of German troops and that these men suffered overwhelming losses.

"There has been a slow and continued bombardment upon our lines at Dead Man hill and Cimieres. East of the river Meuse there has been intense artillery activity in the region of Vaux."

## CHELMSFORD

A three-act comedy, entitled "Galligan," was presented by the senior class of the Chelmsford high school at the navy hall last night before a large audience of parents and friends of the young people. Following the show dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

The music being furnished by the Festival orchestra. The list of characters in the show follows:

Mame Hensen, a junior, Florence Dutton

Margaret Woodward, otherwise "Babe," chairman of the committee on refreshments ..... Dorothy Hall

Hessie Tappin, a senior, Adella Parkhurst

Millicent Cameron, secretary of the senior class ..... Edith Adams

Gladys Gurdy, "Babe's" first assistant, George Fransch

Professor John Grindem, the principal, Harry Parkhurst

Mary, the housemaid... Mary Woodhead

Professor Markam Wright, his wife, Edwin Bryan

Mrs. Bettie Sniters, the woman with the pie shop ..... Dorothy Buncy

Meg. Martha Grindem, the principal's wife, Gladys Winnig

Mrs. William Morton, her mother, Dorothy Bean

Frank Sawyer, president of the senior class ..... Glendon Scoults

BLAZE ON FENWICK STREET

An alarm from box 114 at 4:55 o'clock yesterday afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze at 50 Fenwick street. The fire started in a closet which was filled with clothes, and although the cause is not known it is thought that it was due to an overheated chimney. The occupants of the house were absent at work when the fire started but the blaze was extinguished before much damage was done. The building is owned by George Veris and occupied by Nicholas Marzio.

## MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending May 6, 1916: Population, 105,294; total deaths, 34; deaths under five, 12; infectious diseases, 3; acute lung diseases, 7; diphtheria, 2; tuberculosis, 1.

Death rate: 16.63 against 14.19 and 17.12 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 3; typhoid fever, 3; measles, 35; infantile paralysis, 1; tuberculosis, 5.

Board of Health.

## BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

The 66th anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Susan M. Cutler was observed at her home in the Mammoth road Thursday. Relatives and friends gathered at the homestead and the event proved to be most enjoyable both to Mrs. Cutler and those present. Among those who were in attendance were 18 children and grandchildren.

Many cards of congratulation and many floral gifts were received by Mrs. Cutler from friends and relatives near and far. Reuben Griffin of Harvard was among the guests. All enjoyed a beautiful supper served by the hostess.

## NATIONAL GUARDSMEN PRACTICE WITH MOTORCYCLES AND MOTORCAR GUNS

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION BOSTON.

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION BOSTON.

## TROLLEY STRIKE

All Lines in Schenectady

Tied Up—Demand 5 Cents an Hour Raise

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., May 6.—A strike called early today has tied up all city and interurban lines of the Schenectady Railway company and no attempt was made to run cars. There was no disorder.

The men demanded a flat raise of five cents an hour to take effect immediately. The offer of the company of a two cent raise, to be followed at the end of two years by another cent raise was refused by the men and a following offer by the company to submit the question to arbitration was also refused.

The strike cut off Albany, Troy and Saratoga from trolley communication with this city.

Four hundred and seventy motor-men and conductors are on strike.



PELHAM BARN BURNED

FOSTER BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE—HAY AND CARRIAGES DESTROYED

The Foster barn at North Pelham was destroyed by fire Thursday night. The origin of the fire is unknown, but may have been of incendiary origin.

Planes were discovered issuing through the roof about 9:30 o'clock and a general alarm by the neighbors attracted scores of active workers to the scene, but the fire spread so rapidly that it was impossible to save the building.

The barn contained four tons of baled hay and some bulk hay, an automobile and several vehicles which had been stored there by people living in the vicinity.

The building was owned by R. M. Hills, who purchased it of the Foster heirs after the Foster homestead had been burned in 1910.

TENDERED BACHELOR PARTY

Hormidas Ducharme, who will be married to Miss Claire Gendreau Monday morning, was tendered a bachelor party last evening at the Centralville Social club rooms. The affair was largely attended and the hero of the evening was presented a purse of gold, the presentation being made by J. B. Richard, a member of St. Joseph's college alumni, of which Mr. Ducharme is a director. Refreshments were served and a musical program was given, those taking part being Rodolphe Gendreau, Joseph Ducharme, Edmund Foley and others.

## HELD CAKE SALE

A successful cake sale for the benefit of the new St. Louis' church was conducted this afternoon at the grocery store of H. M. Demers at the junction of Liley avenue and Aiken avenue under the auspices of St. Louis' school alumni, Miss Margaret DeJorne, president.

The sale was started at 1 o'clock this afternoon and continued all afternoon with great results. The remainder of the cakes will be disposed of

## MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending May 6, 1916: Population, 105,294; total deaths, 34; deaths under five, 12; infectious diseases, 3; acute lung diseases, 7; diphtheria, 2; tuberculosis, 1.

Death rate: 16.63 against 14.19 and 17.12 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 3; typhoid fever, 3; measles, 35; infantile paralysis, 1; tuberculosis, 5.

Board of Health.

## BLAZE ON FENWICK STREET

An alarm from box 114 at 4:55 o'clock yesterday afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze at 50 Fenwick street. The fire started in a closet which was filled with clothes, and although the cause is not known it is thought that it was due to an overheated chimney. The occupants of the house were absent at work when the fire started but the blaze was extinguished before much damage was done. The building is owned by George Veris and occupied by Nicholas Marzio.

## NATIONAL GUARDSMEN PRACTICE WITH MOTORCYCLES AND MOTORCAR GUNS

The Lowell Sun is on sale at the North Station Boston.

## TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

## VERY STRONG AND ACTIVE

## BUYING OF FREE AND CONFIDENT CHARACTER AS RESULT OF NOTE FROM GERMANY

NEW YORK, May 6.—Today's strong and exceedingly active market doubtless had its basis in an increasing conviction that the crisis with Germany had passed. Buying was of a free and confident character, though representative stocks were again subordinated to the demands of mercantile and shipping interests. Mercantile and shipping stocks, as well as the old, more established companies, were most conspicuous in the dealing, together with such war shares as Crucible and Lackawanna steels, American Can-American Locomotive and Westinghouse.

Gains in these various issues ranged from 2 to 6 points. Petroleum making an extreme gain of over six points. The closing was strong.

## COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, May 6.—Cotton futures opened arm, July 12.53; October 12.62; December 12.57; January 12.51.

Futures closed strong, May 12.70; July 12.75; October 12.90; December 12.97

## THEY DO SAY

That Cupid is getting ready for next month.

That the speech makers are not all hustlers.

That it is safe to put away the snow shovel.

That a word to the wise is sometimes too much.

That Dave Dwyer was busy shaking hands yesterday.

That the Sun's score board is again attracting attention.

That the camping bug now has a hold on many people.

That Omer J. is a genial janitor and also a first class chef.

That the telephone dances are popular with the boys.

That the English sparrows are jealous of Nellie's babies.

That the street lighting hearing may prove interesting.

That people will soon be saying, "Is it hot enough for you?"

That this was clean-up week; what part did you take in it?

That the civil session of the superior court is nearing its end.

That George Bean says his motto is he with the winner.

That the Emerson players leave many friends in Lowell.

That the time to be up and doing is early in the morning.

That a traffic officer's post is no place for a nervous man.

That the best remedy for that tired feeling is to keep on plugging.

That the girls were all sorry to hear Lena was going to leave.

That when Bobbie asked for a \$1.00 ticket like this? ? ? ? etc.

That the election of George E. Putnam was somewhat of a surprise.

That Fred McSorley is one of the city's most competent chauffeurs.

That Dan and Joe were bashful about that introduction the other night.

That there is a gratifying absence of grass and brush fires this year.

That when it comes to marrying, men display a lot more taste than women.

That the jitney busses in and out of Lowell are increasing in number.

That the mayor's private secretary hears many a poor fellow's troubles.

That Alice did not like the way the lobster salad was served in Lawrence.

That there are Mayflowers near Lowell for those who know Nature's secrets.

That Owen Monahan says the best place for a ball is on the other fellow.

That the view from the tenth floor is becoming more charming every day.

That nothing looks prettier in the parks than some toddling liddlees playing.

That some call firemen are still hoping to be appointed to the permanent force.

That Lowell's patent medicines have advertised this city throughout the world.

That good singers are usually bashful, but people who can't sing can't be stopped.

That if two of Lowell's steam fire engines are useless in case of a serious fire, now is the time to have them repaired.

That local fishermen are getting their lines and other fishing paraphernalia in condition.

That the swimming pool will soon be the piece de resistance for the small boy.

That this is the season when we all talk about cars and one or two of us buy them.

That the Lowell baseball team will be given a fine reception on its return home.

That it's something to receive honorable mention even though you're not elected.

That there will be great activity in the vicinity of Pawtucket Falls in few weeks.

That the motor cyclists are becoming a greater menace to life and limb than the autoists.

That the war has got on the nerves of the world and people even hate to talk about it.

That the Saunders market clerks enjoyed their theatre party Wednesday evening.

That the neighboring constables had better keep an eye to the camps early in the season.

That everything comes to him who waits. The good old summer time, for instance.

That Manager Moore was pleased with the interest taken in the six-day skating race.

That the new telephone directory contains a big increase in the number of subscribers.

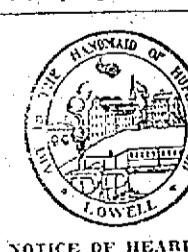
That Ireland is the richest country in the world because its capital is always Dublin.

That many new automobiles are making their appearance on the street every day now.

That there will be some sports at the City Bowling league banquet Tuesday evening.

That the masons will soon be laying a foundation for an education in Kirk and Anne streets.

That there is certainly a big increase in the building activities in Lowell this spring.



## NOTICE OF HEARINGS

The Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give hearings at their room, City Hall, Tuesday, May 23, 1916, at ten o'clock a. m., on the following petitions:

James E. Casey

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 603 Chelmsford street.

George Gaudette

For a license to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 31 South Lincoln street.

By order of the Municipal Council,  
STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.  
May 6, 1916.

## ARTHUR F. RABEOUR

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

Lowest estimates given on all kinds of new and repair work. Shop on West Fourth st. Have your repairs done at once before the cost of labor and material advances any higher. Phone 14-5424-M, 1916.

## THEY DO SAY

That the fire department is badly in need of those three new pieces of self-protecting apparatus.

That the bakers, butchers and candle stick makers all enjoyed banquets Wednesday night.

That the school teachers have a way of putting the guests to their banquets quite at their ease.

That the Lowell Operatic society may conduct a "spring dansant" within a few weeks.

That when things come your way it means you have taken care to start them in that direction.

That the cheery greeting of the letter carrier sometimes stuns for the unpleasant news he brings.

That there are as many colors for ladies, shoes and stockings as there are colors in the rainbow.

That the tendency to strike in some cities at this season is largely due to the spring vacation feeling.

That by the looks of a portion of High street you never would know that this is clean-up week.

That with the exception of three places Middlesex county has no legalized saloon. Lowell is one.

That there isn't any reason why street, sewer and water main extension work should be delayed.

That some men are still talking about the recent Transcontinental telephone banquet of the board of trade.

That Miss Perrin's ball at the Highland club was one of the season's most successful social events.

That Jack Donnelly, the well known blacksmith will soon be seen at the wheel of his new racing car.

That the Boston & Maine railroad must put in the same class improvements in Lowell and in Bingville.

That the reason girls look for four-leaved clover is because they are the only ones who can spare the time.

That the street railway is as sadly in need of new cars as some of the restaurants are of new coffee mugs.

That the Lowell fans are anxiously waiting for next Wednesday when the baseball season will open in this city.

That the "Sand Lot" column will soon be started for the benefit of the young amateur baseball players of the city.

That no man really laughs at a joke on himself, although he occasionally gives a fair imitation of hilarity.

That the 25th anniversary banquet of the Y.M.C.A. was one of the biggest events ever conducted at the institute.

That the townsmen opposed to annexing Dracut to Lowell may see the light when the 1916 Dracut tax rate is announced.

That the Pawtucketville and Centralville Improvement associations are uniting for the welfare of their respective districts.

That every cloud, etc.; those who have been looking up every night for Zepelinis have discovered new glories in the heavens.

That Miss Nash has made an energetic and successful president of the Nurses' Alumnae association of St. John's hospital.

That the banquet to be conducted by the overseers of the U. S. Cartridge Co. tonight promises to be an enjoyable affair.

That the one worker in the grounds of the Immaculate Conception church could give some valuable tips to the park department.

That Ireland suffered a thousand times more than England from the revolt organized to aid Germany in striking England.

That some unknown person must have allowed the Boston & Maine an extension of time on the Chelmsford bridge job.

That the iron girders of the old Pawtucket bridge will prove valuable if utilized in the construction of a bridge over Beaver brook.

That there is no stronger supporter of annexation in Lowell than the man who thinks of building a house and lots round for sites.

That the "cotton party" conducted by the Telephone Girls Thursday evening was one of the most delightful social events of the season.

That Phil Scappell was overheard to remark the other night that dancing with "some people" is worse than engaging in a 10 round bout.

That the Lowell baseball team under the management of Harry Lord is performing some excellent stunts. Keep up the good work boys.

That the change in mind of many a wife eaves her husband from going to the house of correction when he is brought before the local court.

That the license commission ought not to be censured for refusing to grant that extra license. One less would be preferable to one more.

That the proposed site of the new high school in Kirk and Anne streets looks as though it had been struck by a cyclone or shelled by the Germans.

That thanks to "Charlie," Moody street is now in a very good condition, the residents of the district hope the present condition will lastingly prevail.

That within one week we had snow and rain storms, raw weather, red hot weather and thunder and lightning. Can you beat New England weather.

That Clerk John J. Flaherty of the license commission and his assistant, Michael O'Brien, were kept busy during the latter part of this week issuing hundreds of minor licenses.

That the reckless work of some of those window cleaners makes some people nervous. The window cleaners who shine the glass in the Sun building are well protected, however.

That many a local bowler who competed in the bowling tournament in Lynn saw his chance of prize money shattered when Paul Poehler smashed the record for singles and he and his partner did a similar job on candle doubles.

That the new telephone directory contains a big increase in the number of subscribers.

That Ireland is the richest country in the world because its capital is always Dublin.

That many new automobiles are making their appearance on the street every day now.

That there will be some sports at the City Bowling league banquet Tuesday evening.

That the masons will soon be laying a foundation for an education in Kirk and Anne streets.

That there is certainly a big increase in the building activities in Lowell this spring.

season with high class motion pictures. There is no question about the publicliking the Keith theatre, for either vaudeville or moving pictures, and this fact has impelled the management to run a supplementary season this year. The bulk of the picture features will be Triangle and Keystone films. Further announcement will be made on this topic.

POSITION as clerk wanted by young married man who can speak Portuguese, English and little French. Good references. Bernard Fragoise, 615 Market st.

## SITUATIONS WANTED

HOUSEKEEPER would like general housework for one or two persons. Protestants only. Write 123, Sun Office.

POSITION as clerk wanted by young married man who can speak Portuguese, English and little French. Good references. Bernard Fragoise, 615 Market st.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. KATHERINE, last week, Bon Marche.

MADAM ADELLA, clairvoyant and card reader. If in doubt, need help or advice, call, 42 Branch st.

AUTO SERVICE

AUTOMOBILE LIVERY—New 7-passenger Studebaker car for hire for country parties by day or hour. Reasonable rates. Weddings, christenings and all occasions. Careful driver. P. F. Fogarty, 36 Corbett st. Tel. 197-1.

STYLUS ROADSTER for sale; 1913 six-cylinder; in good condition, shock absorbers, electric lights. 418 Andover st., Lawrence, Mass.

LAND—Rare bargains for cash: lots Nos. 75 and 78 Upham st., Lowell, Mass.; water and sewer; all clear. Apply owner, James A. Walker, 1227 Warren ave., Detroit, Mich.

PIANOS—Extra good bargains in pianos and player pianos. Music rolls free at Housell's, 194 Bridge st.

FOR SALE

RESTAURANT, for sale, doing a good business, low rent, good location must be sold on account of ill health. Fully equipped. \$275 cash.

For particulars, call at the Lowell Commission House, 308 Merrimack street, opposite city hall.

ELIMATOR for sale, capacity 1 ton, 1½ horsepower; also; 1 electric motor, 1½ h. p. Call at J. F. Kelly, 24 Malden Lane.

ADD 10¢ TO \$20 per week to your salary. Pleasant profitable work. No canvassing or soliciting. No money required. Something new. Employed culturally apply to 17 McKinley avenue, phone 3755-W.

ONE NODDLE COMB minder wanted. One who can be preferred. Apply Wamesit Worsted Mills, Haverhill st.

LIVE AGENTS wanted for high grade article; easily carried; easily demonstrated. Big profits. Descriptive booklet free. Write Clinton Mfg. Co., 6 Clinton st., Bristol, Conn.

GIRL wanted to dress shoes. Apply Stover and Bear Co., Hood building.

MAN wanted, middle aged, to work around sole leather room. Apply W. J. Barry Shoe Co., Stackpole street.

HOR'Y wanted to learn the cigar packing trade. Apply at Quinn Bros., 12 Church street.

MEN, WOMEN WANTED—Government jobs, \$45 to \$150 month. Write immediately for list positions now obtainable. Franklin Institute, Dept. 167, O. Rochester, N. Y.

MAN to scrub and heat heels on shores. Apply Stover and Bear, Hood building.

CLOISON and fancy stitcher wanted. Apply Adams Bros., Lincoln and Tanner streets.

FARM HANDS wanted by month, week or day. Pikes' Farm, Wamesit, Tel. 4247-R.

MAN to scour and heat heels on shores. Apply Stover and Bear, Hood building.

The Sun goes into nearly every home in Lowell and vicinity. Merchants know that Sun readers respond to their advertisements.

ESTABLISHED 1878

# THE LOWELL SUN

The Sun prints the news of the world when it is news and only such news as is fit to print. It is a clean family newspaper.

LOWELL MASS. SATURDAY MAY 6 1916

PRICE ONE CENT

## TRIBUTE TO UNCLE JOE CANNON



Former Speaker Will Observe 80th Birthday Anniversary Tomorrow

Party Lines Disappeared and All Members of House Honor Veteran

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Party lines disappeared and old scores were forgotten by the house today when, during the first hour of its regular session, it joined in paying tribute to Representative Cannon of Illinois, the former speaker, who will be 80 years old tomorrow. Never before in the history of the house had an hour of the working session been set aside to honor a living member.

One of the original progressives, Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, presided during the greater part of the ceremonies. One of the original revolutionaries against the so-called "Cannon rule" for years he fought the then speaker, but today presided as a friend.

### Speaker Clark Speaks

Speaker Clark in a humorous and friendly speech termed Mr. Cannon one of the "topnotcher class of mental pugilists." He also wrote into the record for posterity the statement that once, during debate, with his own eyes he saw Mr. Cannon perform the unusual feat of describing a complete circle on one heel.

"Mr. Speaker Cannon owes it to himself and to his countrymen to write a book of reminiscences," Speaker Clark said, "Job's vengeful declaration: 'Oh, that mine adversary had written a book,' to the contrary notwithstanding. Evidently the man of Uz did not have in his mind's eye Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson when he gave voice to that far-reaching and malious desire."

### Cannon Expresses Appreciation

Still carrying himself as straight as an Indian and ruddy cheeked as a school girl, Mr. Cannon marched down the centre aisle of the house and delivered an address of appreciation filled with reminiscences of other days. It brought back the shadows of Blaine, Randall, Ben Butler, George F. Hoar, "Sunset" Cox, "Big Iron" Kelly, and a score of other contemporaries of Mr. Cannon to the halls where once they served. Mr. Cannon was quick

## MAN SHOCKED TO DEATH

ACCIDENT AT NORTH ADAMS TIES UP ALL OF THE B. & M. TROLLEY LINES—CAUSE UNKNOWN

NORTH ADAMS, May 6.—Courtland A. Ryan of Worcester is dead and Frederick A. Eaton is in the North Adams hospital terribly burned as the result of coming in contact with the high tension wire carrying 11,000 volts in the No. 5 power plant of the Connecticut Power Company at Hoosac tunnel yesterday afternoon.

Ryan's body formed a short circuit, blowing out fuses and causing a complete stop in Berkshire county and Eastern New York of all the trolley lines and the electric zone of the Boston & Maine R. R. here.

How the accident occurred is not known. The men were engaged in testing meters near the high tension wires, and when the power suddenly went off, other workmen rushed in and found the two men unconscious on the floor. They were hurried to the North Adams hospital, where Ryan soon died.

Ryan's body will be shipped to Worcester for burial. He leaves his parents, wife and one child.

BY GEO. R. BUCKER, AUCTIONER, Office 155, Franklin St., Chelsea. An Action Sale on unclaimed and referred freight, to be sold by order of the NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN AND HARTFORD RAILROAD, on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 22-23-24-25-26-27-1916, each day at 10 a.m. in lots at Putnam, N. Y. N. H. & R. R. at South Boston, Mass., in conformity with Chapter 95 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts, Section 6, for account of whom it may concern to pay freight and storage charges—viz, over 3000 lots of unclaimed freight and merchandise consisting in part of boot leather, leather furniture, personal effects, paints, oils, varnishes, liquors, tobacco, castings, machinery, radiators, farming implements, plumb materials, roofing paper, hardware, wire fencing, fertilizer, auto accessories, etc., etc. N.B. All purchasers must be prepared to pay deposit of not less than 25% cash (no checks) and all goods must be paid for and removed before June 7, 1916 or deposit will be forfeited. Per order G. L. WINLOCK, Freight Claim Agent.

## MOOSE, Attention!

Special business of importance at meeting Monday, May 8. Visit of Deputy Supreme Dictator and last Class Initiation. A large attendance wanted.

EDWARD ST. LEGER, Dictator, HECTOR TURNBULL, Secretary.

Established March 1, 1877

PETER DAVEY  
UNDERTAKER AND  
FUNERAL DIRECTOR

Office 19 East Merrimack St.  
Telephone 79-W

Residence 83 Bartlett St.

Telephone 79-R

500 PERSONS IN PAGEANT

Centenary Celebration of the Founding of the American Bible Society

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Five hundred persons participated today in a pageant held here in connection with the centenary celebration of the founding of the American Bible Society. President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Speaker Clark and Senators Cummings of Iowa and Jones of Washington, are on the program for addresses tomorrow.

## FOUGHT TWO U-BOATS

BRITISH LINER CLAN McFARDYNS  
BELIEVED TO HAVE SUNK ONE SUBMARINE

LONDON, May 6.—The British liner Clan McFadyen has arrived in Gravesend from Africa somewhat damaged by the gunfire of two German submarines. The steamer returned the fire and it was believed on board that one of the submarines was destroyed.

The steamer reports that the first attack on her was made in the Bay of Biscay, when a submarine fired 50 shots at her. The steamer immediately brought her big gun into action and hit the submarine several times, and it is believed, destroyed it.

Three hours later another submarine fired a torpedo, but missed the Clan McFadyen by a few feet.

The French bark La Piller has been sunk. The La Piller was of 247 tons gross and was built at St. Nazaire in 1902. She was owned in Nantes.

## HER ANNUAL RECEPTION

HIGH SCHOOL AND CHILDREN'S CLASSES OF MISS L. B. PERRIN PARTICIPATED IN PRETTY EVENT

Featured by pretty fancy dances by clever and graceful pupils, the annual reception and ball given last evening in Highland club hall by Miss L. B. Perrin to her children's and high school classes was one of the prettiest and most delightful events of the season. The hall was handsomely decorated with streamers of varicolored bunting running from the sides of the ball room to the centre, forming a beautiful canopy. Poised plants, palms and flowers were placed along the front of the stage, almost hiding from view, Hubbard's orchestra, which furnished music.

Marches by the high school and children's classes were very pretty and drew considerable applause from the spectators. The children's grand march was led by Master Donald Shannahan and Miss Gladys Murphy and Mr. J. Connally and Miss Mabel Maguire led the high school march.

The fancy dances by individual pupils and groups were most pleasing and reflected much credit on the teaching of Miss Perrin. The program included the following: Fairy Queen, Miss Helen Shea, Moonbeam, Miss Kathleen Murphy, Butterfly, Miss Natalie Clark, May flowers, Misses Louise Normandy, Loretta Heffernan, Helen Kelley, Mildred Aldrich, Edna Laurin, Anna Robinson, Mary Bradley, Louise Adams, Hazel Frazer, Helen Doran, Edith Donohue and May Keeffe. Daisies, Misses Madeline Day, Bertha Barrett, Mildred Duran, Louise Normandy and Mary Boutlier. Poppies, Misses Clara Molloy, Esther Lussier, Hazel Houghton, Catherine Hogan, Helen Barrett, Eleanor Lonergan, Catherine Ready, Anna Doran, Alice Demmensey, Catherine Harrigan and Hazel Fraser.

The personnel of those taking part in the flower gavotte was: Pink rose, Miss Gladys Murphy; pansy, Miss Doris Conley; Jonquil, Miss Ruth Roseau; red rose, Miss Evelyn Whitsell; sweet pea, Miss Mae McDermott; violet, Miss Margaret Foye; tulip, Miss Alice Faneuf; Easter lily, Miss Katherine Murphy; bush rose, Miss Dorothy Ward; bachelor buttons, Harold McElroy, Donald Shannahan, Charles Dockham, John Murphy, Edward Dockham, John Hogan, Junior Boutlier, Vincent Murphy and Andrew Molloy.

Misses Elizabeth Foye, Dorothy LaVelle and Alice Dempsey interpreted the dance of the heralds. In the Walla ball Misses Greta Pickering, exhibition waltz, Misses Madeline Warren, Mabel Maguire and Mae Dunn and Misses W. E. McElroy, J. Connally and P. E. Caddell. The whole program was presented with skill and precision and Miss Perrin was heartily congratulated.

Women and Girls in Camp

The 200 women and girls in the pre-

paredness camp in the suburbs of Washington are taking the drills and back-to-nature sort of living very seriously.

They all wear the regulation khaki uniform, but they say one old officer, while making inspection,

chuckled like a school girl when he spied peeping out beneath the "soldier girls' bunk" a sort of fluffy-ruffles kimono of pink and swansdown, and some gold slippers. Perhaps one of the greatest hardships for the girls is getting up at 6:30 and having only 15 minutes in which to dress. Five girls using one small wall mirror. One of the few men on the grounds is the bugler who sounds the early morning call. Godot the girls awoke up, by taking him for their "subject" while they experimented on first aid work. They bound him up tight, put on bandages and gave him a taste of military service that falls to the lot of but few men.

The matrons were: Mrs. J. H. Murphy, Mrs. D. W. Shanahan, Mrs. E. H. Foye, Mrs. J. M. Shanahan, Mrs. M. E. Clark, Mrs. M. McElroy. The ushers were: J. Connally, R. E. Caddell, W. C. McElroy, W. C. Ready, F. T. Callahan and L. H. Condon.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

REPORT OF DEATHS.

For the Week Ending May 6, 1916

April 26—Charlotte Newton, 81, carcinoma.

27—Charles A. Favro, 2, gen. lob. pneumonia.

John L. Wells, 53, disease of heart.

28—Joseph L. Beauleau, 2 d, prem. birth.

Margaret Glynn, 48, disease of heart.

Mary A. Yates, 2 m, neo colitis.

Edwin H. Keyes, 78, accident.

Albert Murphy, 52, arterio sclerosis.

29—Helena Person, 78, chr. disease of heart.

30—Stanislaw L. Lis, 1 m, inanition.

Demetrios Haldoulis, 3 m, broncho-pneumonia.

Mary L. Mallie, 3 d, malformation of heart.

Joseph L. Hachez, 2 d, ac. bronchitis.

Findlay Stevenson, 70, lob. pneumonia.

James B. Hoare, 81, paralytic agitans.

Earl B. Taylor, 43, disease of heart.

Joseph F. Slater, 62, endocarditis.

Annie McGuire, 67, lob. pneumo-

nitis.

May 1—Margaret A. Quigley, 70, car. hemorrhage.

Mary Moral, 1 h, alectasis.

Catherine Lane, 32, cardio-renal disease.

Bridget Forbes, 74, arterio sclerosis.

Elizabeth M. Clark, 74, cancer.

2—Alice Vezza, 1, ac. bronchitis.

Blanche Saleskowsky, 7, peritonitis.

Catherine T. Pollard, 6, bronchopneumonia.

Maria Tsikou, 18, retro phar. abscess.

Fotes Alix, 1, diphtheria.

3—Danimiro A. Agane, 1, diphtheria.

Bridget Rogers, 70, cardio-renal disease.

Mary T. O'Neill, 48, cer. hemorrhage.

4—Mabel Gorela, 5, ptosis pulm.

William Lamoureux, 1, status lymphaticus.

Albert Cheneard, 17 d, con. debility.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

Leading Resort House of the World.

Marlborough Glenheim

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.

The month of May, after the Easter rush

is most attractive.

OWNERSHIP MANAGEMENT.

JOSIAN WHITE & SONS COMPANY.

The papal ratification definitely bars annulment of the marriage.

WILL NOT FREE ANNA GOULD

ROME, via Paris, May 6.—Pope Benedict has ratified the decision of the commission of cardinals confirming the validity of the marriage of Count Beaufort de Castellane to Anna Gould, now Duchess Tallylrand.

The papal ratification definitely bars annulment of the marriage.

Established March 1, 1877

PETER DAVEY

UNDERTAKER AND FUNERAL DIRECTOR

Office 19 East Merrimack St.

Telephone 79-W

Residence 83 Bartlett St.

Telephone 79-R

500 PERSONS IN PAGEANT

Centenary Celebration of the Founding of the American Bible Society

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Five hundred persons participated today in a pageant held here in connection with the centenary celebration of the founding of the American Bible Society. President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Speaker Clark and Senators Cummings of Iowa and Jones of Washington, are on the program for addresses tomorrow.

Established March 1, 1877

PETER DAVEY

UNDERTAKER AND FUNERAL DIRECTOR

Office 19 East Merrimack St.

Telephone 79-W

Residence 83 Bartlett St.

Telephone 79-R

500 PERSONS IN PAGEANT

Centenary Celebration of the Founding of the American Bible Society

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Five hundred persons participated today in a pageant held here in connection with the centenary celebration of the founding of the American Bible society. President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Speaker Clark and Senators Cummings of Iowa and Jones of Washington, are on the program for addresses tomorrow.

Established March 1, 1877

PETER DAVEY

UNDERTAKER AND FUNERAL DIRECTOR

Office 19 East Merrimack St.

Telephone 79-W

Residence 83 Bartlett St.

Telephone 79-R

500 PERSONS IN PAGEANT

Centenary Celebration of the Founding of the American Bible Society

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Five hundred persons participated today in a pageant held here in connection with the centenary celebration of the founding of the American Bible Society. President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Speaker Clark and Senators Cummings of Iowa and Jones of Washington, are on the program for addresses tomorrow.</p